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PREFACE.

THIS volume is the third issue of the Statistics of New South Wales in their present shape. Care has been taken to revise the figures relating to previous years, and some additional tables have been added. Very little information of general interest contained in the Statistical Register will be missed from the following pages. Only such tables have been omitted as were too lengthy for reproduction or were included in the larger volume for departmental use or future reference.

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PART I.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

No. 1.—Estimated Population of the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, on 31st December in each year, 1870–87.

Year	Colony.	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	City and Suburbs.	Country Districts.
1870	498,659	75,493	59,085	134,578	364,081
1871	517,758	77,680	62,941	140,621	377,137
1872	535,219	79,455	66,310	145,765	389,454
1873	553,833	81,482	69,964	151,446	402,387
1874	574,943	83,631	74,547	158,178	416,765
1875	594,297	85,267	78,808	164,075	430,222
1876	614,181	87,261	83,253	170,514	443,667
1877	643,707	91,008	91,317	182,325	461,382
1878	671,888	94,228	98,718	192,946	478,942
1879	709,459	98,824	109,448	208,272	501,187
1880	741,893	102,161	118,010	220,171	521,722
1881	778,690	106,578	128,714	235,292	543,398
1882	810,833	110,112	138,119	248,231	562,602
1883	857,744	115,847	152,950	268,797	588,947
1884	903,948	121,441	167,760	289,201	614,747
1885	957,914	122,910	191,635	314,545	643,369
1886	1,001,966	124,379	209,919	334,298	667,668
1887	1,042,919	125,850	225,016	350,866	692,053

No. 2.—Population of Colony, &c.—Distribution of Sexes, 1870–87.

Year.	Colony.		City.		Suburbs.		Country.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1870	272,543	226,116	37,349	38,144	28,497	30,588	206,697	157,384
1871	282,846	234,912	38,631	39,049	30,662	32,279	213,553	163,584
1872	292,015	243,204	39,668	39,787	32,440	33,870	219,907	169,547
1873	301,399	252,434	40,774	40,708	34,207	35,757	226,418	175,969
1874	312,843	262,100	42,123	41,508	36,583	37,964	234,137	182,628
1875	323,080	271,217	43,191	42,076	38,756	40,052	241,133	189,089
1876	333,515	280,666	44,440	42,821	40,939	42,314	248,136	195,531
1877	350,329	293,378	46,832	44,176	45,019	46,298	258,478	202,904
1878	365,625	306,263	48,809	45,419	48,358	50,360	268,458	210,484
1879	386,926	322,533	51,748	47,076	53,547	55,901	281,631	219,556
1880	405,277	336,616	53,910	48,251	57,932	60,078	293,435	228,287
1881	426,944	351,746	56,793	49,785	63,746	64,968	306,405	236,993
1882	443,314	367,519	58,828	51,284	67,629	70,490	316,857	245,745
1883	470,009	387,735	62,603	53,244	74,530	78,420	332,876	256,071
1884	495,571	408,377	66,152	55,289	81,194	86,566	348,225	266,522
1885	527,533	430,381	67,380	55,530	93,130	98,505	367,023	276,346
1886	551,343	450,623	68,607	55,772	103,268	106,651	379,468	288,200
1887	574,012	468,907	69,418	56,432	112,444	112,572	392,150	299,903

No. 3.—Number of Immigrants who Arrived in the Colony Seaward, 1876-87.

Year.	Adults.			Children.			Chinese.	Total Males.	Total Females.	General Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.				
1876	21,256	6,774	28,030	2,364	1,852	4,216	696	24,316	8,626	32,942
1877	23,638	8,647	32,285	2,895	2,564	5,459	884	27,417	11,211	38,628
1878	22,860	9,181	32,041	2,872	2,481	5,353	2,485	28,217	11,662	39,879
1879	25,738	10,669	36,407	3,137	2,978	6,115	1,979	30,854	13,647	44,501
1880	26,894	10,499	37,393	2,932	2,603	5,535	2,942	32,768	13,102	45,870
1881	26,712	10,770	37,482	3,016	2,760	5,776	4,465	34,193	13,530	47,723
1882	28,416	11,533	39,949	3,264	3,069	6,333	1,007	32,687	14,602	47,289
1883	39,946	16,130	56,076	4,661	4,533	9,194	1,936	46,543	20,663	67,206
1884	42,999	17,850	60,849	4,782	4,664	9,446	2,191	49,972	22,514	72,486
1885	46,918	18,829	65,747	4,996	4,466	9,462	2,929	54,843	23,295	78,138
1886	42,802	16,668	59,470	4,340	3,486	7,826	3,092	50,234	20,154	70,388
1887	41,390	15,092	56,482	3,677	3,010	6,687	4,436	49,503	18,102	67,605

NOTE.—No account is kept of the number of persons who arrive overland from the adjacent Colonies.

No. 4.—Number of Emigrants who Departed from the Colony Seaward, 1876–87.

Year.	Adults.			Children.			Chinese.	Total Males.	Total Females.	General Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.				
1876	14,089	4,945	19,034	1,162	787	1,949	940	16,191	5,732	21,923
1877	12,908	5,150	18,058	980	646	1,626	490	14,378	5 796	20,174
1878	13,691	5,393	19,084	1,409	860	2,269	1,560	16,660	6,253	22,913
1879	12,853	5,415	18,268	1,215	655	1,870	557	14,625	6,070	20,695
1880	16,270	7,054	23,324	1,612	747	2,359	876	18,758	7,801	26,559
1881	15,101	6,704	21,805	1,424	667	2,091	929	17,454	7,371	24,825
1882	17,683	7,080	24,763	1,547	778	2,325	884	20,114	7,858	27,972
1883	21,039	8,845	29,884	1,845	1,265	3,110	1,402	24,286	10,110	34,396
1884	25 093	10,390	35,483	2,173	1,560	3,733	1,038	28,304	11,950	40,254
1885	23,385	10,136	33,521	1,865	1,343	3,208	1,726	26,976	11,479	38,455
1886	27,441	9,805	37,246	1,670	1,097	2,767	1,883	30,994	10,902	41,896
1887	27,460	10,636	38,096	1,930	1,290	3,220	2,773	32,163	11,926	44,089

NOTE.—No account is kept of the number of persons departing overland to the adjacent Colonies.

No. 5.—Number of Immigrants who arrived in the Colony of New South Wales at the Public Expense, 1860–87.

Year.	Adults.			Children.			Total.	Birthplaces.				Religion.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Other Countries.	Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Other Religions.
1860	1,351	1,235	2,586	245	258	503	3,089	966	311	1,780	32	1,525	1,564	.....
1861	794	595	1,389	101	99	200	1,589	259	88	1,240	2	513	1,076	.....
1862	1,172	1,047	2,219	214	198	412	2,631	557	165	1,898	11	962	1,664	5
1863	1,966	1,872	3,838	391	404	795	4,633	1,028	295	3,275	35	1,879	2,754	.....
1864	1,701	1,672	3,373	289	315	604	3,977	732	275	2,951	19	1,616	2,354	7
1865	1,073	1,214	2,287	213	217	430	2,717	495	155	2,041	26	974	1,732	11
1866	501	543	1,044	92	68	160	1,204	190	64	937	13	369	830	5
1867	385	435	820	66	58	124	944	123	57	759	5	302	642	.....
1868	183	215	398	41	31	72	470	99	41	324	6	187	282	1
1869	.....	.....	47	.....	.....	.....	47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1871	28	299	327	15	15	30	357	259	10	75	13	281	76	.....
1872	25	271	296	16	14	30	326	240	70	7	9	261	65	.....
1873	13	119	132	3	5	8	140	104	2	34	.....	108	32	.....
1874	427	411	838	109	133	242	1,080	533	108	433	6	721	359	.....
1875	395	324	719	135	119	254	973	494	163	306	10	675	298	... ..
1876	642	429	1,071	208	184	392	1,463	841	188	407	27	1,086	375	2
1877	2,892	1,627	4,519	743	756	1,499	6,018	3,689	418	1,446	465	4,554	1,403	61
1878	2,091	1,754	3,845	699	646	1,345	5,190	2,864	304	1,840	182	3,417	1,716	57
1879	1,906	2,141	4,047	840	844	1,684	5,731	2,808	700	2,125	98	3,697	2,013	21
1880	1,150	1,195	2,345	414	375	789	3,134	1,205	213	1,648	68	1,649	1,470	15
1881	929	1,029	1,958	327	292	619	2,577	906	211	1,389	71	1,235	1,292	50
1882	1,209	991	2,200	509	524	1,033	3,233	2,017	408	764	44	2,587	626	20
1883	3,370	2,718	6,088	1,154	1,127	2,281	8,369	5,382	937	1,903	147	6,442	1,758	169
1884	2,785	2,606	5,391	1,095	1,082	2,177	7,568	4,626	1,314	1,503	125	6,016	1,315	237
1885	1,871	2,211	4,082	736	736	1,472	5,554	3,249	969	1,207	129	4,370	1,077	107
1886	1,044	1,905	2,949	572	560	1,132	4,081	2,237	580	1,180	84	3,043	975	63
1887	131	687	818	286	258	544	1,362	777	233	289	63	1,030	283	49
Total	30,034	29,545	59,626	9,513	9,318	18,831	78,457	36,680	8,279	31,761	1,690	49,499	28,031	880

NOTE.—In 1870 no Immigrants at the Public Expense arrived.

No. 6.—Trades and Callings of Immigrants at the Public Expense, 1878-87.

Trade or Calling.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
Farming & general labourers..	1,295	1,320	892	696	592	1,598	1,324	1,047	627	42
Miners—General	295	33	29	17	35	48	82	12	34	3
„ Coal	42	...	...	2	...	...	17	100	12	7
Carpenters, &c.	184	94	35	38	145	382	225	123	65	6
Masons	70	84	23	24	44	114	83	44	14	1
Bricklayers	31	34	8	12	40	115	60	30	24	1
Brickmakers	12	6	4	1	4	26	16	9	10	...
Plumbers	22	8	3	1	24	102	45	32	14	...
Painters	60	16	9	5	27	102	107	24	14	2
Plasterers	15	13	2	4	13	58	43	20	5	1
Pattern-makers	8	...	1	3	2	6	1	4	1	...
Engineers	73	14	16	7	10	16	6	13	7	...
Moulders	30	4	1	4	3	12	8	14	5	...
Fitters	62	11	5	2	12	29	8	22	10	1
Blacksmiths	76	28	12	12	19	54	38	59	21	3
Brass finishers and turners...	29	5	...	2	4	15	7	13	3	...
Engineers' labourers ...	51	10	1	2	9	17	...	13	11	...
Tailors	36	19	11	12	19	33	43	14	5	1
Boot and shoe makers ...	61	16	11	14	30	55	50	28	13	2
Weavers	16	1	...	...	...	10	...	2	2	...
Hatters	3	1	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...
Butchers	35	4	3	3	15	52	16	5	10	...
Bakers	22	9	3	5	16	44	41	16	13	1
Grocers	9	2	3	1	2	10	7	2	...	...
Cabinetmakers	16	9	1	5	12	46	25	7	1	...
Carriage builders	14	13	1	2	4	36	18	18	2	...
Glassmakers	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Zincworkers	4	...	1	...	1	...	4	1	1	...
Tinsmiths	13	6	1	...	4	14	21	11	1	...
Saddlers	15	7	3	...	4	20	9	6	8	...
Puddlers	7	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous trades ...	283	136	70	55	117	354	481	182	109	60
*Women—										
Domestic servants ...	477	1,077	866	788	492	1,519	1,482	1,610	1,533	650
Others	278	148	41	14	35	122	69	39	55	37

* Married women not included.

No. 7.—Immigration and Emigration of Chinese, 1872–87.

Year.	Arrivals.	Departures.	Year.	Arrivals.	Departures.
1872...	229	597	1880...	2,942	876
1873...	406	400	1881...	4,465	929
1874...	863	933	1882...	1,007	884
1875...	625	1,209	1883...	1,936	1,402
1876...	696	940	1884...	2,191	1,038
1877...	884	490	1885...	2,929	1,726
1878...	2,485	1,560	1886...	3,092	1,883
1879...	1,979	557	1887...	4,436	2,773

No. 8.—Marriages and Marriage-rate, 1871–87.

Year.	Marriages Registered.	Marriages per 1,000 of Mean Population.	Year.	Marriages Registered.	Marriages per 1,000 of Mean Population.
1871...	3,953	7·77	1880...	5,572	7·68
1872...	3,925	7·45	1881...	6,284	8·26
1873...	4,384	8·05	1882...	6,948	8·74
1874...	4,343	7·69	1883...	7,405	8·87
1875...	4,605	7·87	1884...	7,482	8·49
1876...	4,630	7·66	1885...	7,618	8·18
1877...	4,994	7·94	1886...	7,811	7·97
1878...	5,317	8·08	1887...	7,590	7·42
1879...	5,391	7·80	Mean... ...	.....	7·99

No. 9.—Mean Marriage-rate of the Australasian Colonies, 1876–87.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
1876	7·66	6·21	8·49	7·57	7·07	7·13	8·25
1877	7·94	6·31	8·66	7·57	6·38	7·79	7·63
1878	8·08	6·20	9·47	6·98	6·50	7·96	8·03
1879	7·80	5·98	9·81	7·49	7·57	7·23	7·60
1880	7·68	6·22	8·69	6·97	7·42	7·38	6·71
1881	8·26	6·79	8·33	7·71	6·60	7·30	6·65
1882	8·74	7·09	8·73	8·56	7·07	8 03	7·07
1883	8·87	7·43	8·49	8·93	6·95	9·01	6·82
1884	8·49	7·73	8·28	8·91	7·11	7·81	6·88
1885	8·18	7·72	7·65	8·92	7·80	7·97	6·74
1886	7·97	7·84	6·31	8·32	7·94	7.27	6·02
1887	7·42	7·62	6·32	8·21	7·70	6·99	5·97
Mean for 12 years	8·09	6·93	8·18	8·01	7·18	7·65	7·03

No. 10.—Percentage of Persons Married signing Register with Marks, 1871–87.

Year.	City.	Suburbs.	Country.	Colony.
1871	13·12	10·98	18·92	16·96
1872	11·49	8·23	15·09	13·62
1873	10·73	8·38	16·53	14·28
1874	10·12	7·93	15·85	11·96
1875	10·67	3·28	14·21	12·26
1876	7·63	3·56	16·71	10·47
1877	8·30	5·85	11·10	9·76
1878	7·16	4·59	9·21	8·10
1879	6·42	4·34	8·85	7·58
1880	6·58	3·97	7·31	6·66
1881	5·41	4·24	8·34	6·94
1882	6·17	3·47	6·00	5·63
1883	5·00	4·00	7·28	6·10
1884	3·60	3·12	6·77	5·23
1885	3·76	2·03	5·99	4·74
1886	3·63	1·90	5·00	3·98
1887	2·85	1·23	4·68	3·50
Mean	7·26	4·77	10·46	8·69

No. 11.—Number of Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage, and number of Divorced Persons who Remarried, 1875–87.

Year.	Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage.	Number of Divorced Persons who were Married during year.		Year.	Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage.	Number of Divorced Persons who were Married during year.	
		Males.	Females.			Males.	Females.
1875... ...	9	1	.....	1882... ...	19	2	2
1876... ...	19	2	1	1883... ...	14	11	5
1877... ...	19	1	3	1884... ...	27	6	6
1878... ...	11	2	3	1885... ...	23	9	6
1879... ...	10	4	2	1886... ...	32	8	8
1880... ...	22	.....	1	1887... ...	24	4	11
1881... ...	15	1	5	Total ...	244	51	53

No. 12.—Births and Birth-rate, 1871–87.

Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Birth-rate per Thousand of Mean Population.
1871	10,326	9,817	20,143	39·63
1872	10,276	9,974	20,250	38·46
1873	10,952	10,492	21,444	39·38
1874	11,323	10,855	22,178	39·29
1875	11,380	11,148	22,528	38·53
1876	11,791	11,507	23,298	38·55
1877	12,292	11,559	23,851	37·92
1878	13,082	12,246	25,328	38·50
1879	13,840	13,093	26,933	38·99
1880	14,424	13,738	28,162	38·80
1881	14,891	14,102	28,993	38·13
1882	15,087	14,615	29,702	37·37
1883	16,014	15,267	31,281	37·49
1884	17,417	16,529	33,946	38·53
1885	17,939	17,104	35,043	37·64
1886	18,700	17,584	36,284	37·03
1887	18,901	18,335	37,236	36·42
Mean Birth-rate for 17 years				38·19

No. 13.—Proportion of Male to Female Births, 1872–87.

Year.	Male Births to every 100 Female Births.	Year.	Male Births to every 100 Female Births.
1872	103·03	1880	105·00
1873	104·38	1881	105·59
1874	104·31	1882	103·23
1875	102·08	1883	104·89
1876	102·47	1884	105·37
1877	106·34	1885	104·88
1878	106·83	1886	106·35
1879	105·71	1887	103·09

No. 14.—Yearly Birth-rate of the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1871–87.

Year.	Births per Thousand of the Population.			
	Colony.	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.
1871	39·63	38·91	42·62	39·29
1872	38·46	36·63	37·69	38·96
1873	37·99	38·09	40·55	39·44
1874	39·29	37·81	38·57	39·72
1875	38·53	37·44	37·92	38·86
1876	38·55	38·37	37·73	38·74
1877	37·92	38·13	37·18	38·02
1878	38·50	37·61	38·66	38·64
1879	38·99	38·47	39·84	38·91
1880	38·80	37·16	40·61	38·72
1881	38·13	35·84	41·91	37·70
1882	37·37	34·64	44·04	36·29
1883	37·49	33·24	44·89	36·45
1884	38·53	34·80	48·28	36·67
1885	37·64	31·81	46·63	36·21
1886	37·03	31·01	46·29	35·32
1887	36·42	30·19	44·34	35·03
Mean	38·19	35·88	41·63	37·82

No. 15.—Births in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1870-87.

Year.	City.			Suburbs.			Country.			Colony.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1870...	1,505	1,404	2,909	1,310	1,236	2,546	7,194	6,999	14,193	10,009	9,639	19,648
1871...	1,535	1,445	2,980	1,342	1,259	2,601	7,449	7,113	14,562	10,326	9,817	20,143
1872...	1,487	1,392	2,879	1,226	1,210	2,436	7,563	7,372	14,935	10,276	9,974	20,250
1873...	1,556	1,509	3,065	1,453	1,310	2,763	7,943	7,673	15,616	10,952	10,492	21,444
1874...	1,628	1,493	3,121	1,452	1,335	2,787	8,243	8,027	16,270	11,323	10,855	22,178
1875...	1,595	1,567	3,162	1,481	1,427	2,908	8,304	8,154	16,458	11,380	11,148	22,528
1876...	1,694	1,616	3,310	1,518	1,540	3,058	8,579	8,351	16,930	11,791	11,507	23,298
1877...	1,732	1,667	3,399	1,662	1,584	3,246	8,898	8,308	17,206	12,292	11,559	23,851
1878...	1,764	1,720	3,484	1,848	1,826	3,674	9,470	8,700	18,170	13,082	12,246	25,328
1879...	1,889	1,825	3,714	2,122	2,025	4,147	9,829	9,243	19,072	13,840	13,093	26,933
1880...	1,855	1,880	3,735	2,317	2,302	4,619	10,252	9,556	19,808	14,424	13,738	28,162
1881...	1,895	1,846	3,741	2,702	2,469	5,171	10,294	9,787	20,081	14,891	14,102	28,993
1882...	1,877	1,877	3,754	2,970	2,906	5,876	10,240	9,832	20,072	15,087	14,615	29,702
1883...	1,974	1,782	3,756	3,273	3,261	6,534	10,767	10,224	20,991	16,014	15,267	31,281
1884...	2,119	2,010	4,129	3,945	3,798	7,743	11,353	10,721	22,074	17,417	16,529	33,946
1885...	1,931	1,955	3,886	4,316	4,064	8,380	11,692	11,085	22,777	17,939	17,104	35,043
1886...	1,988	1,846	3,834	4,814	4,481	9,295	11,898	11,257	23,155	18,700	17,584	36,284
1887...	1,881	1,896	3,777	4,820	4,823	9,643	12,200	11,616	23,816	18,901	18,335	37,236

No. 16.—Excess of Births over Deaths in Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1871–87.

Year.	Colony.			City.			Suburbs.			Country.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1871	6,444	7,292	13,736	664	733	1,397	861	857	1,718	4,919	5,702	10,621
1872	5,834	6,948	12,782	485	584	1,069	727	794	1,521	4,622	5,570	10,192
1873	6,353	7,480	13,833	546	719	1,265	915	851	1,766	4,892	5,910	10,802
1874	6,301	7,225	13,526	525	519	1,044	827	761	1,588	4,949	5,945	10,894
1875	5,135	6,622	11,757	209	280	489	651	610	1,261	4,275	5,732	10,007
1876	5,283	6,822	12,105	376	443	819	667	706	1,373	4,240	5,673	9,913
1877	6,415	7,567	13,982	638	761	1,399	987	938	1,925	4,790	5,868	10,658
1878	6,798	7,767	14,565	511	652	1,163	991	1,032	2,023	5,296	6,083	11,379
1879	7,758	8,975	16,733	633	815	1,448	1,276	1,223	2,499	5,849	6,937	12,786
1880	7,786	9,145	16,931	390	605	995	1,185	1,254	2,439	6,211	7,286	13 497
1881	8,138	9,319	17,457	632	863	1,495	1,616	1,449	3,065	5,890	7,007	12,897
1882	7,491	9,395	16,886	466	763	1,229	1,632	1,747	3 379	5,393	6,885	12,278
1883	8,898	10,134	19,032	728	795	1,523	1,857	1,962	3,819	6,313	7,377	13,690
1884	9,092	10,634	19,726	705	889	1,594	2,130	2,222	4,352	6,257	7,523	13,780
1885	9,039	10,722	19,761	480	770	1,250	2,266	2,257	4,523	6,293	7,695	13,988
1886	10,199	11,498	21,697	722	888	1,610	2,654	2,596	5,250	6,823	8,014	14,837
1887	11,125	12,663	23,788	781	1,054	1,835	2,857	3,182	6,039	7,487	8,427	15,914

No. 17.—Illegitimate Births: Percentage of Total Births in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1871–87.

Year.	City.	Suburbs.	Country.	Colony.
1871	6·91	2·34	3·53	3·88
1872	6·32	2·70	3·80	4·02
1873	6·49	3·11	3·86	4·14
1874	7·72	3·15	3·72	4·21
1875	8·22	2·92	3·65	4·20
1876	9·24	2·87	3·28	4·07
1877	8·97	2·37	3·52	4·14
1878	9·09	2·93	3·28	4·03
1879	10·47	2·82	3·72	4·51
1880	11·00	3·25	3·36	4·35
1881	11·36	3·23	3·34	4·36
1882	11·72	2·74	3·28	4·24
1883	11·68	3·62	3·05	4·21
1884	12·76	3·34	3·21	4·40
1885	13·61	3·77	3·37	4·60
1886	13·90	4·00	3·38	4·65
1887	13·13	3·91	3·52	4·59

NOTE.—The Benevolent Asylum, Pitt-street, is in the City.

No. 18.—Mean Birth-rate of the Australasian Colonies, 1876–87.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
1876	38·55	33·61	37·71	37·48	33·98	30·11	41·73
1877	37·92	32·17	37·36	36·75	33·07	30·21	41·28
1878	38·50	32·36	38·23	35·77	31·11	32·27	42·14
1879	38·99	32·18	38·96	36·74	34·38	32·05	40·32
1880	38·80	30·75	38·94	36·92	32·35	32·91	40·78
1881	38·13	31·24	38·66	37·19	33·67	33·40	37·95
1882	37·37	31·04	37·40	35·85	35·84	33·50	37·72
1883	37·49	30·02	37·37	36·92	33·87	34·25	36·28
1884	38·53	30·49	38·38	35·75	33·84	35·66	35·91
1885	37·64	30·74	37·70	36·65	35·21	35·08	34·85
1886	37·03	31·24	35·69	37·58	39·31	34·14	33·14
1887	36·42	32·39	34·65	38·09	37·94	33·87	31·71
Mean for 12 years	37·95	31·52	37·59	36·81	34·55	33·12	37·82

No. 19.—Deaths in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1870–87.

Year.	Colony.			City.			Suburbs.			Country		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1870	4,009	2,549	6,558	846	646	1,492	449	341	790	2,714	1,562	4,276
1871	3,882	2,525	6,407	871	712	1,583	481	402	883	2,530	1,411	3,941
1872	4,442	3,026	7,468	1,002	808	1,810	499	416	915	2,941	1,802	4,743
1873	4,599	3,012	7,611	1,010	790	1,800	538	459	997	3,051	1,763	4,814
1874	5,022	3,630	8,652	1,103	974	2,077	625	574	1,199	3,294	2,082	5,376
1875	6,245	4,526	10,771	1,386	1,287	2,673	830	817	1,647	4,029	2,422	6,451
1876	6,508	4,685	11,193	1,318	1,173	2,491	851	834	1,685	4,339	2,678	7,017
1877	5,877	3,992	9,869	1,094	906	2,000	675	646	1,321	4,108	2,440	6,548
1878	6,284	4,479	10,763	1,253	1,068	2,321	857	794	1,651	4,174	2,617	6,791
1879	6,082	4,118	10,200	1,256	1,010	2,266	846	802	1,648	3,980	2,306	6,286
1880	6,638	4,593	11,231	1,465	1,275	2,740	1,132	1,048	2,180	4,041	2,270	6,311
1881	6,753	4,783	11,536	1,263	983	2,246	1,086	1,020	2,106	4,404	2,780	7,184
1882	7,596	5,220	12,816	1,411	1,114	2,525	1,338	1,159	2,497	4,847	2,947	7,794
1883	7,116	5,133	12,249	1,246	987	2,233	1,416	1,299	2,715	4,454	2,847	7,301
1884	8,325	5,895	14,220	1,414	1,121	2,535	1,815	1,576	3,391	5,096	3,198	8,294
1885	8,900	6,382	15,282	1,451	1,185	2,636	2,050	1,807	3,857	5,399	3,390	8,789
1886	8,501	6,086	14,587	1,266	958	2,224	2,160	1,885	4,045	5,075	3,243	8,318
1887	7,776	5,672	13,448	1,100	842	1,942	1,963	1,641	3,604	4,713	3,189	7,902

No. 20.—Yearly Death-rate of the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1872–87.

Year.	Deaths per Thousand of the Population.			
	Colony.	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.
1872	14·18	23·03	14·15	12·37
1873	13·99	22·37	14·63	12·15
1874	15·33	25·16	16·59	13·12
1875	18·42	31·65	21·47	15·23
1876	18·52	28·87	20·79	16·05
1877	15·69	22·43	15·13	14·47
1878	16·36	25·05	17·37	14·44
1879	14·76	23·47	15·83	12·82
1880	15·47	27·26	19·16	12·34
1881	15·17	21·50	17·07	13·48
1882	16·12	23·30	18·71	14·09
1883	14·68	19·76	18·65	12·68
1884	16·14	21·36	21·14	13·78
1885	16·41	21·58	21·46	13·97
1886	14·89	17·99	20·15	12·69
1887	13·15	15·52	16·57	11·62
Mean	15·40	22·99	17·83	13·28

No. 21.—Death-rate per 1,000 of the Mean Population of Persons over 5 Years of Age in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1872–87.

Year.	Colony.	City.	Suburbs.	Country.
1872	9·68	14·89	7·64	9·31
1873	10·28	15·79	8·53	9·44
1874	10·31	16·30	8·65	9·38
1875	11·81	19·43	11·23	10·35
1876	12·78	19·70	11·02	11·71
1877	10·47	15·38	7·91	9·98
1878	10·51	16·20	8·85	9·71
1879	9·90	16·35	8·22	8·97
1880	10·21	16·61	9·12	9·07
1881	10·25	15·42	8·94	9·52
1882	10·86	16·38	9·90	10·00
1883	9·75	13·11	10·02	9·00
1884	10·60	14·26	11·25	9·68
1885	10·86	14·86	11·46	9·89
1886	9·86	12·02	11·01	9·08
1887	8·92	10·67	9·58	8·39
Mean	10·34	15·31	9·48	9·49

No. 22.—Death-rate per 1,000 of the Mean Population of Children under 5 Years of Age in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1872–87.

Year.	Colony.	City.	Suburbs.	Country.
1872	37·16	69·26	46·95	29·58
1873	32·97	59·91	46·02	25·84
1874	41·37	76·51	59·18	32·07
1875	53·64	105·64	80·35	40·37
1876	49·66	86·55	80·71	38·52
1877	44·41	67·42	61·56	37·83
1878	49·39	82·08	73·91	39·77
1879	42·75	69·34	67·13	33·88
1880	45·83	95·30	86·99	31·62
1881	43·63	61·79	71·00	35·21
1882	46·61	70·27	74·93	36·66
1883	43·46	65·32	73·48	33·12
1884	48·92	71·49	82·22	36·98
1885	49·86	69·59	81·50	37·84
1886	45·42	60·91	74·92	34·03
1887	38·66	50·50	57·05	30·82
Mean	43·90	72·19	68·56	34·01

No. 23.—Deaths of Children under 1 Year of Age per 1,000 Births, in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1872–87.

Year.	Colony.	City.	Suburbs.	Country.
1872	104·4	176·1	139·1	85·0
1873	92·5	158·8	123·4	74·0
1874	109·4	188·4	144·6	88·3
1875	119·6	193·8	158·5	98·4
1876	112·8	169·4	170·3	91·3
1877	116·7	165·3	146·6	101·5
1878	123·4	186·5	160·8	103·7
1879	107·1	164·7	143·2	88·0
1880	113·6	210·1	177·7	80·4
1881	115·2	162·5	161·6	94·4
1882	131·2	196·3	174·9	106·2
1883	114·7	177·8	154·8	90·9
1884	126·2	186·2	164·2	101·6
1885	131·1	200·7	180·4	101·1
1886	127·7	183·1	169·2	101·9
1887	105·9	151·7	136·6	86·3
Mean	114·2	178·1	154·6	92·0

No. 24.—Mean Death-rate of the Australasian Colonies, 1876–87.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
1876	18·52	17·02	16·28	18·82	14·18	16·54	12·66
1877	15·69	15·80	13·99	17·29	15·70	19·17	11·47
1878	16·36	15·46	15·44	20·41	14·07	15·66	11·01
1879	14·76	14·53	14·09	14·97	14·46	15·18	12·46
1880	15·47	13·70	14·85	13·59	13·24	16·12	11·46
1881	15·17	14·16	14·49	15·02	13·80	14·77	11·13
1882	16·12	15·31	15·15	17·99	14·16	15·79	11·19
1883	14·68	14·18	14·83	18·82	17·93	17·06	11·45
1884	16·14	14·27	15·52	22·97	21·87	15·50	10·39
1885	16·41	14·73	12·47	19·58	17·60	15·40	10·76
1886	14·88	15·15	13·52	16·65	21·56	14·58	10·53
1887	13·15	15·69	12·62	14·56	17·11	15·45	10·17
Mean for 12 years	15·61	15·00	14·44	17·56	16·14	15·93	11·22

No. 25.—Number of Suicides, together with the Modes adopted for taking life, 1876–87.

Year.	Shooting.		Cut, Stab, &c.		Poison.		Drowning.		Hanging.		Other Modes.		All Cases.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1876	2	...	12	2	7	6	3	1	12	...	2	...	38	9	47
1877	9	...	11	1	9	2	8	2	10	2	6	...	53	7	60
1878	...	...	8	...	5	...	2	...	9	...	1	...	25	...	25
1879	9	...	10	1	6	2	5	...	11	1	1	...	42	4	46
1880	11	...	9	3	15	4	3	3	12	5	3	...	53	15	68
1881	16	...	10	1	8	2	8	2	22	2	11	1	75	8	83
1882	6	...	10	...	8	5	5	4	11	2	4	...	44	11	55
1883	12	...	10	...	5	1	2	...	14	1	8	1	51	3	54
1884	17	...	12	1	9	6	8	3	14	4	6	1	66	15	81
1885	19	1	18	...	13	5	1	3	26	5	4	...	81	14	95
1886	24	1	12	...	14	6	3	3	23	3	6	...	82	13	95
1887	22	...	14	1	17	11	14	7	26	4	4	1	97	24	121

No. 26.—Suicides: Number of, and Proportion to, Total Population, 1876–87.

Year.	Suicides by Males.		Suicides by Females.		Total Suicides.	
	Number.	Per Ten Thousand of Total Male Population.	Number.	Per Ten Thousand of Total Female Population.	Number.	Per Ten Thousand of whole Population.
1876	38	1·15	9	·32	47	·78
1877	53	1·55	7	·24	60	·95
1878	25	·68	.....	.....	25	·38
1879	42	1·11	4	·12	46	·67
1880	53	1·34	15	·45	68	·94
1881	75	1·80	8	·23	83	1·09
1882	44	1·03	11	·31	55	·69
1883	51	1·12	3	·08	54	·65
1884	66	1·37	15	·50	81	·92
1885	81	1·58	14	·33	95	1·02
1886	82	1·52	13	·29	95	·97
1887	97	1·74	24	·52	121	1·18

No. 27.—Number of Admissions into Institutions for the Insane, and Proportion to the Mean Population of the Colony, 1871–87.

Year.	Admissions.	Proportion to Population, per 1,000.	Year.	Admissions.	Proportion to Population, per 1,000.
1871	340	·66	1880	476	·65
1872	303	·57	1881	494	·64
1873	342	·62	1882	473	·59
1874	330	·58	1883	476	·57
1875	356	·60	1884	493	·55
1876	360	·59	1885	567	·60
1877	457	·72	1886	567	·58
1878	424	·64	1887	532	·52
1879	440	·63	Mean rate per 1,000 for period ...	.....	·60

No. 28.—Number of Insane Persons in Hospitals on the 31st December of each year 1871–87, and Proportion per 1,000 of the Total Population.

Year.	Number of Insane.	Proportion of Insane per 1,000.	Year.	Number of Insane.	Proportion of Insane per 1,000.
1871	1,387	2·67	1880	2,099	2·82
1872	1,440	2·69	1881	2,218	2·84
1873	1,526	2·75	1882	2,307	2·84
1874	1,588	2·76	1883	2,403	2·87
1875	1,697	2·85	1884	2,524	2·89
1876	1,743	2·83	1885	2,643	2·89
1877	1,829	2·84	1886	2,717	2·77
1878	1,916	2·85	1887	2,821	2·76
1879	2,011	2·83	Mean rate for period		2·80

No. 29.—Number of Persons Vaccinated by the Government Vaccinators, in the Colony of New South Wales, 1887.

Districts.	Under 1 year of age.	From 1 to 5 years.	From 5 to 10 years.	From 10 years upwards.	Total.
Sydney and Suburbs	229	338	259	.....	826
Country Districts	261	1,015	889	22	2,187
General Total	490	1,353	1,148	22	3,013

PART II.—CRIME AND CIVIL JUSTICE.

No. 30.—Number of Persons apprehended for various Classes of Offences during the year 1887, and the manner in which the Cases were dealt with.

Offences.	Total Apprehensions.	How disposed of.		
		Dismissed.	Summarily Convicted.	Committed.
Against the person	2,820	651	1,842	327
Against property, with violence	294	95	36	163
Against property, without violence	5,126	1,557	2,875	694
Forgery and offences against the currency ...	130	24	3	103
Against good order, including drunkenness ...	33,753	3,702	30,032	19
Not included in the preceding	1,971	732	1,177	62
	44,094	6,761	35,965	1,368

NOTE.—The number of persons tried during the year was 1,521; of these, 1,402 were committed for trial in 1887. The number committed after arrest was 1,368, as shown above.

No. 31.—Ages of Persons apprehended for various Classes of Offences during the year 1887.

Offences.	Ages.							Total Apprehensions.
	Under 15.	15-20.	20-30.	30-40.	40-50.	50-60.	Over 60.	
Against the person...	14	234	1,243	727	398	146	58	2,820
Against property, with violence ...	9	52	149	48	23	10	3	294
Against property, without violence	339	732	2,022	1,115	576	228	114	5,126
Forgery and offences against the currency	3	18	49	37	9	7	7	130
Against good order, including drunkenness	439	1,597	9,009	9,385	7,239	3,927	2,157	33,753
Not included in the preceding ...	25	140	675	530	354	168	79	1,971
	829	2,773	13,147	11,842	8,599	4,486	2,418	44,094

No. 32.—Birthplaces of Persons Apprehended by the New South Wales Police, 1887.

Offences.	Total Apprehensions.	New South Wales.	Other Australian Colonies.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	China.	Other Foreign Countries.
Against the person	2,820	1,136	219	518	507	160	32	14	39	57	138
Against property, with violence	294	145	35	55	20	7	7	1	2	9	13
Against property, without violence	5,126	2,237	480	1,015	671	247	71	30	63	87	225
Forgery and offences against the currency	130	43	3	39	13	5	2	3	15	1	6
Against good order	33,753	9,149	1,869	7,861	9,375	2,912	419	202	311	223	1,432
Not included above	1,971	553	138	468	439	123	30	15	43	36	126
Total	44,094	13,263	2,744	9,956	11,025	3,454	561	265	473	413	1,940

No. 33.—Religions of Persons Apprehended by the New South Wales Police, 1887.

Offences.	Church of England.	Presbyterian.	Wesleyans.	Independents.	Baptists.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholic.	Jews.	Pagan.	Other Persuasions.	No Religion.	Unknown.
Against the person	1,032	222	50	1	9	55	1,281	8	51	18	86	7
Against property, with violence	113	18	6	.....	1	12	124	.....	11	1	8	.....
Against property, without violence ...	2,235	361	124	10	24	88	2,037	37	90	15	102	3
Forgery and offences against the currency ..	62	11	1	.....	2	11	29	9	1	.....	4	.....
Against good order	12,246	3,291	430	162	61	605	15,589	55	223	123	924	44
Not included above	816	143	35	5	10	37	814	10	30	15	52	4
Total	16,504	4,046	646	178	107	808	19,874	119	406	172	1,176	58

No. 34.—Degree of Education of Persons Arrested, 1876-87.

Year.	Neither read nor write.	Read only.	Read and write.	Superior Education.	Total Arrests.
1876	3,841	1,320	21,832	.....	26,993
1877	3,842	1,269	23,238	.....	28,349
1878	4,017	1,529	25,172	.....	30,718
1879	3,493	1,230	27,984	153	32,860
1880	4,065	1,197	30,350	162	35,774
1881	4,034	1,123	36,083	162	41,402
1882	4,059	964	34,553	182	39,758
1883	3,859	1,058	38,071	189	43,177
1884	3,871	1,096	41,030	202	40,199
1885	3,925	937	43,185	214	48,261
1886	4,142	916	43,588	208	48,854
1887	3,873	709	39,295	217	44,094

No. 35.—Percentage Arrested, of each degree of Education, 1876-87.

Year	Neither read nor write	Read only.	Read and write, and Superior Education.
1876	14·22	4·89	80·89
1877	13·55	4·47	81·98
1878	13·07	4·97	81·96
1879	10·62	3·74	85·64
1880	11·36	3·34	85·30
1881	9·74	2·71	87·55
1882	10·20	2·42	87·38
1883	8·93	2·45	88·62
1884	8·37	2·37	89·26
1885	8·13	1·94	89·93
1886	8·49	1·87	89·64
1887	8·79	1·60	89·61

No. 36.—Education, Ages, and Birthplaces of Persons Arrested for Drunkenness, 1879–87.

Year.	Total Arrests.	Education.				Ages.							Birthplaces.									
		Neither read nor write.	Read only.	Read and write.	Superior Education.	Under 15 years.	15 to 20 years.	20 to 30 years.	30 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	50 to 60 years.	Over 60 years.	New South Wales.	Other Australian Colonies.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	China.	Other Foreign Countries.
1879...	17,715	1,593	563	15,500	59	12	632	4,417	5,432	3,996	1,959	1,267	3,481	395	4,614	6,503	1,606	233	141	214	50	478
1880...	18,777	1,796	491	16,431	59	10	547	4,931	5,770	4,111	2,153	1,255	3,733	357	4,983	6,866	1,615	178	126	230	22	567
1881...	22,560	1,763	418	20,324	55	18	538	5,870	6,616	5,384	2,630	1,504	4,523	551	5,958	8,259	1,860	275	203	303	56	572
1882...	21,393	1,831	422	19,074	66	9	464	5,182	6,152	5,242	2,700	1,644	4,397	590	5,473	7,324	2,077	169	142	308	35	878
1883...	23,178	1,698	492	20,909	79	17	533	5,958	6,802	5,441	2,876	1,551	4,954	630	5,748	8,224	1,968	266	197	301	39	801
1884...	24,438	1,639	507	22,202	90	21	557	6,236	6,983	6,046	3,068	1,587	5,841	829	5,897	8,285	2,286	303	146	230	29	859
1885...	26,291	1,822	459	23,914	96	13	554	6,820	7,722	6,474	2,991	1,717	5,479	1,033	6,734	8,866	2,457	364	132	329	40	857
1886...	26,310	1,844	424	23,961	81	5	548	6,551	7,698	6,582	3,344	1,582	5,432	947	6,528	9,010	2,449	374	137	322	28	1,083
1887...	22,706	1,613	323	20,659	111	2	503	5,600	6,845	5,474	2,868	1,414	5,053	1,082	5,597	7,088	2,224	274	115	230	30	1,013

No. 37.—Arrests for Drunkenness: Convictions and Discharges, 1876–87.

Year.	Arrests.	Convictions.	Discharges.	Percentage of Convictions to Total Arrests.	Percentage of Discharges to Total Arrests.	Percentage of Convictions to whole Population.
1876	16,171	12,517	3,654	77·4	22·6	2·07
1877	16,696	13,479	3,217	80·7	19·3	2·14
1878	17,224	14,639	2,385	84·9	15·1	2·22
1879	17,715	15,394	2,321	86·8	13·2	2·22
1880	18,777	15,996	2,781	85·1	14·9	2·20
1881	22,560	20,748	1,812	91·9	8·1	2·72
1882	21,393	18,593	2,800	86·9	13·1	2·34
1883	23,178	20,991	2,187	90·5	9·5	2·52
1884	24,438	21,957	2,481	89·8	10·2	2·49
1885	26,291	23,782	2,509	90·4	9·6	2.55
1886	26,310	23,758	2,552	90·3	9·7	2·43
1887	22,706	20,596	2,110	90·7	9·3	1·97

No. 38.—Number of Persons Arrested for Drunkenness, with Percentage of Total Population, 1876–87.

Year.	Total Arrests.	Males.	Females.	Percentage of Total Arrests to whole Population.	Percentage of Males arrested to Total Male Population.	Percentage of Females arrested to Total Female Population.
1876	16,171	12,546	3,625	2·67	3·82	1·31
1877	16,696	12,726	3,970	2·65	3·72	1·38
1878	17,224	13,166	4,108	2·61	3·67	1·37
1879	17,715	13,574	4,141	2·56	3·61	1·31
1880	18,777	14,801	3,976	2·58	3·72	1·21
1881	22,560	18,200	4,360	2·96	4·36	1·26
1882	21,393	17,574	3,819	2·69	4·03	1·06
1883	23,178	19,244	3,934	2·77	4·21	1·04
1884	24,438	20,261	4,177	2·77	4·19	1·04
1885	26,291	21,944	4,347	2·82	4·29	1·03
1886	26,310	21,879	4,431	2·69	4·06	1·01
1887	22,706	19,229	3,477	2·22	3·42	·76

No. 39.—Number of Persons Arrested for Habitual Drunkenness, with Percentage to Total Arrests for Drunkenness, 1879-87.

Year.	No.	Percentage of Arrests to total Arrests for Drunkeness.	Year.	No.	Percentage of Arrests to total Arrests for Drunkenness.
1879...	136	0·76	1884...	108	0·44
1880...	107	0·56	1885...	116	0·44
1881...	101	0·54	1886...	113	0·43
1882...	141	0·65	1887...	119	0·52
1883...	100	0·43			

No. 40.—Number of Persons brought before the Magistrates' Courts, and manner in which they were dealt with, 1887.

Offences.	Total number of Persons brought before the Magistrates' Courts.	Number of Persons.			
		Discharged for want of Prosecution or for want of Evidence.	Whose Cases were Dismissed on the merits.	Summarily Convicted.	Committed for Trial.
Against the person	8,903	2,485	1,356	4,667	395
Against property	8,017	1,977	1,288	3,876	876
Other cases*	55,199	6,476	3,521	45,071	131
Total number of persons summoned or apprehended ...	72,119	10,938	6,165	53,614	1,402

NOTE—Includes cases heard *ex parte*, but not civil cases. * Not including cases brought up for lunacy.

No. 41.—Number of Summary Convictions and kind of Punishments inflicted for various Offences by the Benches of Magistrates in 1887.

Punishment.	Total number of Punishments.	For Offences against the Person.	For Offences against Property.	For other Offences.
Fine	28,079	2,678	1,267	24,134
Imprisonment, in lieu of fine or surety	18,667	968	553	17,146
Peremptory imprisonment	4,506	542	1,849	2,115
Whipping	3	1	.....	2
Imprisonment, with whipping ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bound over, with or without sureties	349	183	32	134
Other punishments	2,010	295	175	1,540
Total	53,614	4,667	3,876	45,071

NOTE.—Includes summons cases.

No. 42.—Offences, Apprehensions, Convictions, and Acquittals, 1876-87.

	*1876.	*1877.	*1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
The number of Offences reported to the Police	19,111	21,604	24,649	23,479	26,127	28,806	29,125	31,162	35,548	34,210	37,568	34,599
The number of persons apprehended by the Police, or summoned before the Magistrates	45,105	47,739	53,325	53,870	57,784	66,600	65,936	72,231	75,680	77,092	81,503	72,119
The number of summary Convictions. 1. For Offences against the Person	3,931	4,567	5,014	4,885	5,151	5,239	5,350	6,257	5,810	5,159	5,187	4,667
The number of summary Convictions. 2. For Offences against Property	2,694	2,788	3,087	3,217	3,286	3,453	4,014	3,395	3,594	3,649	3,676	3,876
The number of summary Convictions. 3. For other Offences ...	23,779	25,648	29,823	30,726	33,768	42,438	40,762	45,811	48,502	50,537	53,405	45,071
The number of Convictions in the Superior Courts. 1. For Offences against the Person	184	228	188	210	204	164	188	239	289	206	284	214
The number of Convictions in the Superior Courts. 2. For Offences against Property	430	448	555	651	772	669	589	608	599	525	637	548
The number of Convictions in the Superior Courts. 3. For other Offences ...	208	153	216	229	172	225	288	161	40	54	36	92
†The number of persons Acquitted. 1. In the Inferior Courts	5,575	5,431	5,178	5,688	5,223	5,569	5,514	5,840	6,219	6,004	6,018	6,165
†The number of persons Acquitted. 2. In the Superior Courts	377	369	549	418	404	400	521	450	482	447	433	421

* Note: The figures in this and in the subsequent tables differ slightly. The discrepancy occurs in the original returns for the years marked and cannot now be rectified.
† Not including persons discharged for want of evidence or want of prosecution.

No. 43.—Number of Cases at the Courts of Quarter Sessions in each District during the year 1887.

District.	Felonies.				Misdemeanours.				Totals.			
	Committals.	Trials.	Convictions.	Acquittals.	Committals.	Trials.	Convictions.	Acquittals.	Committals.	Trials.	Convictions.	Acquittals
Metropolitan and Hunter	497	424	293	131	119	97	74	23	616	521	367	154
Southern	101	87	51	36	22	19	14	5	123	106	65	41
Northern	130	90	51	39	20	19	18	1	150	109	69	40
Western	102	76	53	23	20	19	13	6	122	95	66	29
South-western	98	81	61	20	14	9	8	1	112	90	69	21
North-western	106	86	58	28	24	19	19	...	130	105	77	28
Total...	1,034	844	567	277	219	182	146	36	1,253	1,026	713	313

No. 44.—Number and Description of Offences for which persons were tried at the Courts of Quarter Sessions during the year 1887.

Offences.	Committals.	Trials.	Convictions.	Acquittals.
FELONIES.				
Robbery	7	7	4	3
Robbery with violence	30	28	13	15
Robbery being armed	1	1	1	.....
Garotting	4	4	3	1
Larceny	202	161	105	56
Stealing from the person	50	40	24	16
Stealing in a dwelling-house	43	37	23	14
Receiving stolen property	22	22	17	5
Embezzlement	41	35	28	7
Obtaining property by false pretences	111	89	68	21
Forgery	89	73	62	11
Arson	8	6	2	4
Burglary	17	15	9	6
Housebreaking	58	51	30	21
Entering a dwelling at night with intent to commit felony therein	9	8	8	.....
Being found at night with housebreaking implements in possession	7	6	5	1
Horse-stealing	77	61	45	16
Cattle-stealing	35	18	11	7
Sheep-stealing	21	17	8	9
Wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm	6	4	4	.....
Maliciously inflicting grievous bodily harm	24	17	9	8
Maliciously wounding cattle	3	3	1	2
Shooting with intent to do grievous bodily harm	6	5	3	2
Bigamy	6	6	4	2
Perjury	3	1	1	.....
Making a false statement for insertion in Register of Births, Deaths, or Marriages	5	4	4	.....
Sodomy	3	1	.....	1
Bestiality	3	3	2	1
Assault with intent to rob	8	8	7	1
Assault with intent to commit rape	4	4	1	3
Assault, indecent, on a girl under 14 years of age	16	13	7	6
Assault with intent carnally to know a girl between 10 and 14 years of age	17	10	5	5
Indecent assault on a male person	10	9	6	3
Assault, occasioning actual bodily harm	14	13	9	4
Manslaughter	3	2	.....	2
Maliciously wounding	38	33	17	16
Breaking prison	4	3	3	.....
Having in possession for an unlawful purpose, forged bank notes.	2	2	2	.....

No. 44—*continued.*

Offences.	Committals.	Trials.	Convictions.	Acquittals.
Attempt to commit sodomy	7	6	5	1
Throwing a stone at a railway carriage	1	1	.....	1
Misappropriating property as agent	1	1	.....	1
Stealing from a wharf or ship	14	14	9	5
Making false entry as clerk	1	.....	.....	.....
Fraudulently defacing cattle brands	1	.....	.....	.....
Sending a letter threatening to accuse a person of crime, with intent to extort money	1	1	1	.....
Having in possession implements for making forged bank notes	1	1	1	.....
TOTAL FELONIES	1,034	844	567	277
MISDEMEANOURS.				
Assault	17	17	16	1
Assault on constable	6	5	3	2
Assault, indecent	14	10	6	4
Attempt to commit felony	29	27	13	14
Attempting to commit suicide	50	43	43	.....
Abduction	4	2	1	1
Concealing birth	6	4	2	2
Escape	9	8	8	.....
Illegally pawning	3	3	2	1
Keeping a bawdy-house	18	17	16	1
Personating at an election	6	5	4	1
Riot	2	1	1	.....
Malicious injury to property	1	.....	.....	.....
Unlawfully using cattle	5	5	5	.....
Uttering counterfeit coin	5	2	2	.....
Indecent exposure	1	1	.....	1
Child desertion	3	1	1	.....
Conspiracy	11	8	6	2
Libel	2	1	1	.....
Attempt to bribe a public officer	2	2	2	.....
Fraudulent insolvency	4	3	1	2
Causing bodily harm by furious driving	2	2	1	1
Unlawfully communicating with prisoners in gaol	1	1	1	.....
Breach of Liens on Crop Act	1	1	.....	1
Illegally maintaining a lottery	1	1	1	.....
Cheating at play	1	1	1	.....
Disturbing a congregation	13	9	7	2
Unlawfully marrying a minor	2	2	2	.....
TOTAL NUMBER OF MISDEMEANOURS	219	182	146	36
TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES	1,253	1,026	713	313

No. 45.—Results of Indictments in the Supreme and Circuit Courts and Courts of Quarter Sessions, 1887.

How the Cases tried in the Superior Courts ended.	Total.	Murder, other than Wife and Child Murder.	The Returns below include the Indictments for Attempts and Conspiracies to Commit the several Offences.												
			Manslaughter.	Attempt at Murder.	Wife Murder.	Child Murder.	Concealment of Birth.	Abortion.	Rape.	Unnatural Crimes.	Other Offences against the Person.	Malicious injuries to Property.	Robbery with violence.	Other Offences against Property.	Miscellaneous Offences.
Supreme and Circuit Courts—															
Judgment for the Crown	141	...	2	1	...	2	...	2	...	4	26	5	2	62	*35
Judgment for the Prisoner	108	4	3	5	5	...	1	...	2	4	19	3	1	30	31
Cases failing for want of prosecution ...	13	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	7
Prisoner found insane	6	1	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	268	6	5	8	8	2	1	2	2	8	45	10	3	94	74
Courts of Quarter Sessions—															
Judgment for the Crown	713	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	13	142	3	17	478	57
Judgment for the Prisoner	313	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	3	6	57	6	16	214	7
Cases failing for want of prosecution ...	220	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	4	37	3	2	157	14
Prisoner found insane	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	2	...
	1,253	...	3	...	...	...	6	...	4	23	241	12	35	851	78
SUMMARY:—															
Judgment for the Crown	854	...	2	1	...	2	2	2	1	17	168	8	19	540	92
Judgment for the Prisoner	421	4	5	5	5	...	3	...	5	10	76	9	17	244	38
Cases failing for want of prosecution ...	233	1	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	4	37	5	2	159	21
Prisoner found insane	13	1	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	2	1
General Total	1,521	6	8	8	8	2	7	2	6	31	286	22	38	945	152

* Riot; twelve convicted together.

No. 46.—Ultimate Disposal of the Cases of all Persons Arrested, 1876-87.

Year.	Arrests.	Summary Convictions and Acquittals in Inferior Courts. *		Committals.*	Convicted and Acquitted in the Superior Courts.	
	Total number of Arrests.	Summary Convictions.	Acquitted or Discharged.	Committed for Trial.	Convicted after Commitment.	Acquitted after Commitment (including those Discharged.)
1876	26,993	19,465	6,263	1,265	810	455
1877	28,349	20,721	6,256	1,372	817	555
1878	30,718	23,216	5,818	1,684	986	698
1879	32,860	25,506	5,759	1,595	1,090	505
1880	35,774	27,523	6,569	1,682	1,152	530
1881	41,402	33,063	6,748	1,591	1,066	525
1882	39,758	31,384	6,789	1,585	1,065	520
1883	43,177	35,437	6,154	1,586	1,012	574
1884	46,199	37,415	7,205	1,579	928	651
1885	48,261	40,002	6,792	1,467	785	682
1886	48,854	40,180	7,225	1,449	957	492
1887	44,094	35,965	6,761	1,368	854	514

* Persons summoned not included.

No. 47.—Percentage of the whole Population Arrested and Convicted; and of Persons Arrested, Summarily dealt with; also, of those Convicted and Acquitted after Commitment, 1876-87.

Year.	Arrests.	Summarily Convicted.	Summarily Acquitted or Discharged.	Committals.	Convicted in the Superior Courts.	Acquitted in the Superior Courts.	Ultimately Convicted.
	Percentage of Arrests to the whole Population.	Percentage of Summary Convictions to Total Arrests.	Percentage of those Acquitted or Discharged to Total Arrests.	Percentage to Total Arrests.	Percentage to Total Committals.	Percentage to Total Committals.	Percentage to the whole Population.
1876	4·46	72·12	23·20	4·68	64·03	35·97	3·35
1877	4·50	73·09	22·07	4·83	59·54	40·46	3·42
1878	4·66	75·58	18·94	5·48	58·55	41·45	3·67
1879	4·75	77·63	17·52	4·85	68·34	31·66	3·85
1880	4·92	76·94	18·36	4·70	68·49	31·51	3·80
1881	5·44	79·86	16·29	3·85	67·00	33·00	4·48
1882	5·00	78·94	17·07	3·99	67·19	32 81	4·08
1883	5·17	82·08	14·26	3·66	63·81	36·19	4·36
1884	5·24	80·99	15·59	3·42	58·77	41·23	4·35
1885	5·18	82·89	14·07	3·04	53·52	46·48	4·38
1886	4·99	82·24	14·79	2·97	66·04	33·96	4·21
1887	4·31	81·57	15·33	3·10	62·40	37·57	3·33

No. 48.—Number of Criminals Executed in each year, 1876-87.

Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.
1876	4	1880	4	1884	2
1877	2	1881	2	1885	3
1878	1	1882	3	1886	2
1879	1	1883	1	1887	4

No. 49.—Prison Accommodation provided in the various Gaols of the Colony, 1887.

Gaol, where situated.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing in separate cells.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing where prisoners are associated.	Gaol, where situated.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing in separate cells.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing where prisoners are associated.
GAOLS.			POLICE GAOLS—*contd.*		
Darlinghurst ...	346	754	Coonamble	5	20
Albury	24	72	Cootamundra ...	2	30
Armidale	24	68	Cowra	4	9
Bathurst	38	123	Forbes	4	12
Berrima	80	100	Glen Innes	5	20
Deniliquin	16	80	Grenfell	3	10
Dubbo	10	43	Gundagai	6	20
Goulburn	182	546	Gunnedah	4	16
Grafton	14	42	Hillston	4	10
Hay	12	58	Inverell	6	18
Maitland	110	182	Kempsey West ...	2	4
Mudgee	24	72	Moree	2	7
Parramatta	223	514	Murrurundi	4	12
Tamworth	12	64	Muswellbrook ...	4	10
Trial Bay	64	64	Narrabri	6	36
Wagga Wagga ...	11	33	Orange	8	33
Wollongong	12	36	Port Macquarie ...	10	30
Yass	16	48	Queanbeyan	6	20
Young	12	42	Singleton	4	20
POLICE GAOLS.			Taree	4	12
Balranald	2	4	Tenterfield	6	18
Bega	4	7	Walgett	6	30
Bingera	4	20	Warialda	4	20
Bourke	12	36	Wellington	5	20
Braidwood	12	36	Wentworth	12	42
Campbelltown ...	4	12	Wilcannia	5	21
Casino	6	27	Windsor	12	36
Cobar	4	10			
Cooma	5	15	GENERAL TOTAL...	1,431	3,664
Coonabarabran ...	5	20			

No. 50.—Number of Convictions in the Supreme and Circuit Courts and Courts of Quarter Sessions, 1876–87.

Year.	Felonies.			Misdemeanours.			Total Number of Convictions.
	Supreme and Circuit Courts.	Courts of Quarter Sessions.	Total.	Supreme and Circuit Courts.	Courts of Quarter Sessions.	Total.	
1876	163	439	602	58	150	208	810
1877	133	418	551	51	215	266	817
1878	188	465	653	88	245	333	986
1879	176	572	748	66	276	342	1,090
1880	142	674	816	58	278	336	1,152
1881	116	618	734	66	266	332	1,066
1882	127	587	714	44	307	351	1,065
1883	91	611	702	47	263	310	1,012
1884	105	598	703	50	174	224	927
1885	103	524	627	47	111	158	785
1886	110	641	751	31	175	206	957
1887	102	567	669	39	146	185	854

No. 51.—Ages of all Persons Sentenced to Labour, Imprisonment, or Solitary Confinement, during the year 1887.

Ages.	Sentenced to Labour.			Sentenced to Imprisonment.			Sentenced to Solitary Confinement.			Total Persons Sentenced.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Under 10 years ...	1	...	1	7	4	11	...	...	...	8	4	12
10 to 20	407	116	523	505	154	659	6	...	6	918	270	1,188
20 to 30	1,668	294	1,962	2,321	845	3,166	3	...	3	3,992	1,139	5,131
30 to 40	915	217	1,132	1,955	871	2,826	4	...	4	2,874	1,088	3,962
40 to 50	523	146	669	1,417	611	2,028	...	...	...	1,940	757	2,697
50 and upwards ...	507	100	607	1,315	370	1,685	...	...	...	1,822	470	2,292
Totals ...	4,021	873	4,894	7,520	2,855	10,375	13	...	13	11,554	3,728	15,282

No. 52.—Number and Ages of Persons Convicted for the First Time, and also of those with previous Convictions committed to Gaol during the year 1887.

Ages.	First conviction.			Committed once before.			Committed twice before.			Committed three or more times before.			Total, with Previous convictions.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Under 10 years	12	8	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 to 20 years	540	102	642	82	23	105	27	22	49	21	10	31	130	55	185
20 to 30 years	2,127	279	2,406	337	83	420	137	50	187	117	71	188	591	204	795
30 to 40 years	1,604	204	1,808	200	72	272	87	44	131	100	96	196	387	212	599
40 to 50 years	1,026	155	1,181	171	53	224	62	29	91	93	60	153	326	142	468
50 years and upwards...	959	116	1,075	122	43	165	68	19	87	141	34	175	331	96	427
Total	6,268	864	7,132	912	274	1,186	381	164	545	472	271	743	1,765	709	2,474

No. 53.—Number of Distinct Persons Committed to Gaol for the First Time, and Number of those with previous Convictions, 1876-87.

Year.	First conviction.	Previous convictions.			Total with previous convictions.	Total prisoners.
		Two convictions.	Three convictions.	Four or more convictions.		
1876	8,726	269	1,197*	...	1,466	10,192
1877	9,407	271	1,200*	...	1,471	10,878
1878	8,220	1,228	2,299*	...	3,527	11,747
1879	11,538	397	1,303*	...	1,700	13,238
1880	11,899	707	903	70	1,680	13,579
1881	12,804	1,227	588	1,179	2,994	15,798
1882	11,034	1,556	601	1,053	3,210	14,244
1883	12,349	1,340	653	1,063	3,056	15,405
1884	13,788	1,427	670	1,112	3,209	16,997
1885	14,014	1,591	717	1,047	3,355	17,369
1886	13,849	1,549	636	1,003	3,188	17,037
1887	12,841	1,228	574	699	2,441	15,282

* Three or more convictions : The particulars in this table were obtained from the reports of the Comptroller-General of Prisons.

No. 54.—Classification of Prisoners Re-convicted, 1874–87.

Year.	1st Class.—Sentence, 5 years and upwards.			2nd Class.—Sentence, less than 5 years.			3rd Class.—Sentence, imprisonment only.			Drunkards and petty offenders omitted from the foregoing.		
	Second conviction.	Third conviction.	Fourth, or more.	Second conviction.	Third conviction.	Fourth, or more.	Second conviction.	Third conviction.	Fourth, or more.	Second conviction.	Third conviction.	Fourth, or more.
1874... ...	4	4	.....	28	26	.....	7	5	.....	281	895	.....
1875... ...	21	22	.....	36	59	.....	34	35	.....	145	724	.....
1876... ...	19	40	.....	56	86	.....	25	44	.....	169	1,027	.....
1877... ...	12	30	.....	83	91	.....	7	22	.....	169	1,057	.....
1878... ...	10	27	.....	51	66	.....	17	28	.....	1,150	2,178	.....
1879... ...	4	22	.....	50	65	.....	24	51	.....	319	1,165	.....
1880... ...	20	3	3	186	39	30	113	38	37	388	823	.....
1881... ...	8	3	4	107	54	63	98	43	16	1,014	488	1,096
1882... ...	16	5	12	231	82	93	152	38	85	1,157	476	863
1883... ...	53	4	9	257	50	64	75	20	31	955	579	959
1884... ...	35	10	46	136	72	57	86	29	37	1,170	559	972
1885... ...	20	19	29	133	81	72	101	38	35	1,337	579	911
1886... ...	23	10	23	108	43	115	93	31	51	1,325	552	814
1887... ...	18	6	28	113	52	74	79	13	20	1,018	443	577

Previous to the year 1880 prisoners with four or more convictions are included with those convicted for the third time. The particulars in this table were obtained from the reports of the Comptroller-General of Prisons.

No. 55.—Number of Distinct Persons received into the various Gaols Convicted of Drunkenness and Vagrancy and other Offences during the year 1887.

Age.	Convicted of Drunkenness and Vagrancy.			Convicted of other Offences.			Total		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Under 10 years	6	7	13	6	1	7	12	8	20
10 to 20 „	322	130	452	348	27	375	670	157	827
20 to 30 „	1,549	431	1,980	1,169	52	1,221	2,718	483	3,201
30 to 40 „	1,285	369	1,654	706	47	753	1,991	416	2,407
40 to 50 „	965	263	1,228	387	34	421	1,352	297	1,649
50 and upwards	943	199	1,142	347	13	360	1,290	212	1,502
Total	5,070	1,399	6,469	2,963	174	3,137	8,033	1,573	9,606

No. 56.—Number of Persons in Confinement on 31st December, 1876-87.

Year.	Total Persons in Confinement.	Male.	Female.	Number Tried and Sentenced for—								Number awaiting Trial for—								Debtors
				Felony.		Petty Larceny.		Assaults.		Other Offences.		Felony.		Petty Larceny.		Assaults.		Other Offences.		
				Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
1876 ...	1,490	1,267	223	708	34	160	21	78	4	208	144	75	11	17	1	1	2	20	6	32
1877 ...	1,521	1,293	228	798	57	81	16	32	3	226	133	100	11	25	5	5	...	26	3	42
1878 ...	1,781	1,512	269	855	51	127	22	50	4	286	174	119	8	39	3	6	...	30	7	51
1879 ...	1,951	1,641	310	911	42	176	29	70	21	308	199	111	14	24	...	12	...	29	5	48
1880 ...	2,121	1,759	362	950	34	189	31	106	8	365	276	99	8	11	...	6	...	33	5	47
1881 ...	2,075	1,753	322	825	18	201	15	78	5	508	271	83	3	18	2	6	1	35	7	52
1882 ...	1,935	1,646	289	844	25	168	18	89	3	396	228	97	9	14	1	11	...	27	5	45
1883 ...	2,168	1,826	342	802	47	263	26	138	15	481	242	82	6	17	1	10	1	33	4	28
1884 ...	2,464	2,115	349	949	33	295	29	140	6	582	269	68	3	24	1	12	1	45	7	64
1885 ...	2,559	2,222	337	1,047	33	307	47	162	10	568	238	85	4	8	...	14	...	31	5	52
1886 ...	2,501	2,119	382	1,070	40	296	32	121	11	531	286	66	5	13	...	8	...	14	8	62
1887 ...	2,380	2,053	327	1,042	30	221	28	137	3	519	255	64	4	18	1	9	1	43	5	50

No. 57.—Punishments inflicted on Prisoners in Gaols, 1876–87.

Year.	Number of Prisoners received under Sentence.		Solitary Confinement.		Other Punishments.		Total Punishments.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
1876	6,862	3,330	392	106	346	107	738	213
1877	7,947	3,831	468	33	301	94	769	127
1878	7,641	4,106	640	128	167	25	807	153
1879	9,151	4,087	909	152	246	38	1,155	190
1880	9,544	4,035	997	213	194	69	1,191	282
1881	11,266	4,532	1,058	167	317	15	1,375	182
1882	10,326	3,918	1,036	97	300	19	1,336	116
1883	11,309	4,096	1,091	158	239	29	1,330	187
1884	12,836	4,161	1,295	178	399	37	1,694	215
1885	13,045	4,324	1,249	186	360	39	1,609	225
1886	12,650	4,382	1,226	194	337	52	1,563	246
1887	11,554	3,728	1,268	177	397	19	1,665	196

No. 58.—Total Deaths and Death-rate in all Gaols, 1878–87.

Year.	Number of Persons under Sentence. *a*		Deaths.		Death-rate per Thousand Persons under Sentence.		Death-rate per Thousand Persons of both sexes under Sentence.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
1878	8,809	1,891	39	7	4·42	3·70	4·39
1879	8,496	1,983	36	7	4·23	3·53	4·10
1880	8,662	1,952	37	.....	4·27	.....	3·48
1881	10,185	2,105	53	7	5·20	3·32	4·88
1882	9,717	1,976	40	6	4·12	3·03	3·92
1883	10,708	2,020	30	5	2·80	2·47	2·75
1884	12,160	2,272	35	4	2·88	1·76	2·70
1885	12,445	3,448	39	11	3·13	3·19	4·01
1886	12,175	2,459	38	10	3·11	4·07	3·27
1887	10,152	1,955	30	8	2·95	4·09	3·13

a Distinct persons, including prisoners whose term had not expired at close of previous year.

No. 59.—Business of the Supreme and Circuit Courts, 1876–87.

Year.	Civil Jurisdiction.			Equity.				Testamentary.				Appellate Jurisdiction.	
	No. of Writs issued.	No. of Causes entered for Trial.	Total Amount for which Judgment signed.	Statements of Defence.	No. of Claims.	No. of Petitions.	No. of Decrees and Orders.	No. of Probates and Administrations—Will annexed.	Amount sworn to.	No. of Letters of Administration.	Amount sworn to.	No. of Cases from Insolvency Court.	No. of Cases from District Court.
			£ s. d.						£ s. d.		£ s. d.		
1876	2,530	293	106,257 12 6	32	Nil	21	152	511	1,677,972 0 0	415	223,189 0 0	1	6
1877	2,887	286	127,204 14 10¾	37	Nil	48	102	530	1,336,599 0 0	471	291,391 8 11	1	5
1878	3,280	319	278,126 10 5	50	Nil	72	115	573	1,735,064 10 0	514	281,367 0 0	3	9
1879	3,806	292	436,355 17 6	48	Nil	65	153	579	2,116,906 2 6	472	269,991 11 8	3	8
1880	3,312	350	202,253 15 2¾	59	35	53	166	667	1,323,822 18 10	506	210,816 0 0	5	9
1881	2,845	331	.....	55	87	33	93	671	2,011,305 0 0	526	307,818 0 0	3	15
1882	3,161	414	169,520 12 0	51	106	50	96	810	3,586,554 0 0	589	581,528 0 0	3	18
1883	3,830	377	.....	81	153	41	210	862	3,528,602 0 0	613	588,029 0 0	2	15
1884	4,547	513	370,647 13 0	77	166	91	289	933	3,642,709 0 0	648	605,543 0 0	.....	14
1885	4,079	481	399,951 15 6	93	162	69	295	961	3,721,805 0 0	659	601,542 0 0	3	27
1886	5,649	526	410,274 14 5	81	184	78	294	1,026	4,726,918 0 0	706	768,628 0 0	7	45
1887	5,149	530	457,704 0 0	101	218	87	298	961	3,621,874 0 0	665	641,426 0 0	4	19

No. 60.—Business of the Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Court, 1876–87.

Year.	Petitions for Dissolution of Marriage.	Petitions for Judicial Separation.	Petitions for Alimony.	Appearances entered.	Answers filed.	Affidavits filed.	Citations filed.	Replications filed.	Motions for hearing.	Orders to set down causes for hearing.	Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage.	Rules discharged.	Cases Alimony granted in.	Orders to protect Wife's Earnings.	Orders for substitution of service.	Orders to examine witnesses under Commission.	Orders of Court.	Orders to proceed *in forma pauperis*.	Orders for service out of Jurisdiction.	Orders dismissing Petitions on application.	Subpœnas.	Commission to examine witnesses.	Records of Issues.	Appeals to Full Court.	Attachments issued.	Petitions for Restitution of Conjugal Rights.	Orders on appeal.
1876	22	1	2	4	2	169	19	...	...	19	19	...	...	...	6	...	...	3	...	...	3	...	16	...	...	...	...
1877	18	...	3	5	2	208	25	2	11	11	19	1	3	...	3	2	15	2	...	...	18	...	10	1	...	...	...
1878	17	...	2	5	4	199	22	1	49	15	11	...	3	...	4	...	6	1	1	...	15	...	9	2	1	1	2
1879	19	1	3	6	3	176	24	2	28	10	10	1	3	...	4	...	20	1	...	...	18	...	10	2	6	1	...
1880	31	...	1	7	5	313	34	1	59	27	22	1	1	63	8	2	39	...	...	...	36	2	20	...	1	1	...
1881	23	...	...	8	2	230	26	1	22	22	15	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	35	...	19	1	1	...	...
1882	23	...	2	9	6	156	21	1	38	20	19	1	2	...	3	...	...	4	...	1	18	...	13	...	1	...	...
1883	38	1	6	10	6	288	36	4	50	28	14	3	5	*	*	2	*	4	*	2	72	2	26	1	2	...	1
1884	30	8	6	7	4	322	39	...	72	30	27	...	5	*	*	...	*	3	*	...	37	...	27	...	...	...	...
1885	38	5	6	6	5	278	31	1	71	29	23	...	3	*	3	...	...	2	...	1	51	...	25	...	...	1	...
1886	45	4	7	18	11	355	46	1	101	32	32	...	6	...	2	3	...	3	...	...	72	3	35	1	3	...	...
1887	45	3	5	19	11	503	52	4	154	37	25	3	5	*	1	2	...	6	...	1	137	2	40	2	5	4	...

* Cannot be ascertained.

No. 61.—Number of Civil Cases Tried in the Supreme and Circuit Courts during the year 1887.

District where tried.		Juries of Four.		Juries of Twelve.		Total.
		Defended.	Undefended or Settled.	Common.	Special.	
Supreme Court, Sydney		181	229	.....	.....	410
Circuit Courts ...	Albury	1	.....	.....	.....	1
	Armidale	2	2	.....	.....	4
	Bathurst	6	.....	.....	.....	6
	Deniliquin	2	2	.....	.....	4
	Dubbo	3	2	.....	.....	5
	Goulburn	6	3	.....	.....	9
	Grafton	5	4	.....	.....	9
	Maitland	5	6	.....	.....	11
	Mudgee	1	1	.....	.....	2
	Tamworth	5	3	.....	.....	8
	Wagga Wagga ...	2	1	.....	.....	3
	Yass...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Young	2	.....	.....	.....	2
	Hay	2	2	.....	.....	4
TOTAL, CIRCUIT COURTS		42	26	.....	.....	68
GENERAL TOTAL		223	255	.....	.....	478

No. 62.—Number of Civil Cases Tried in the Supreme and Circuit Courts, 1876–87.

Year.	Before Special Juries of Twelve.	Before Juries of Four.		Total.
		Defended Cases.	Undefended or Settled Cases.	
1876	.....	208	85	293
1877	4	184	98	286
1878	3	196	120	319
1879	1	178	113	292
1880	3	199	148	350
1881	1	172	158	331
1882	11	239	164	414
1883	3	222	152	377
1884	1	270	222	493
1885	8	247	239	494
1886	7	248	248	503
1887	.....	223	255	478

No. 63.—Number of Suits commenced in the District Courts in the Colony, during the twelve months preceding the 1st day of March, 1888, and other particulars.

District	The Number of Suits.		Settled.		The Number of Cases.			Result of the Trials.		The Costs of the Suits.	The Number and Result of Appeals.			The Number of Cases left in Arrear.	The Number of—	
						Tried.										
	Commenced.	Total Amount sued for.	Without hearing.	By Arbitration.	Tried.	By Jury.	Without Jury.	For Plaintiffs.	For Defendants.		Appeals.	Judgments or Orders affirmed.	Reversed.		Motions for New Trials.	New Trials granted.
		£ s. d.								£ s. d.						
Metropolitan and Hunter	6,582	152,001 14 0	3,080	...	3,108	18	3,090	2,866	242	12,596 14 0	17	2	...	394	12	3
Southern	1,146	34,652 12 9	455	3	654	33	621	551	103	2,045 11 1	1	...	1	34	5	1
South-western	690	26,496 18 5	331	...	346	21	325	297	49	1,697 0 4	1	...	...	13	1	1
Western	662	17,361 10 3	368	...	261	4	257	226	35	1,284 15 4	1	1	...	33	...	...
Northern	1,745	51,810 16 10	655	...	989	11	978	900	89	3,439 9 11	1	1	...	101	2	...
North-western	418	17,109 11 1	166	...	217	11	206	166	51	991 0 0	1	1	...	35	2	2
Total	11,243	299,433 3 4	5,055	3	5,575	98	5,477	5,006	569	22,054 10 8	22	5	1	610	22	7

PART III.—TRADE AND COMMERCE.

No. 64.—Total Value of the Imports and Exports of the Colony of New South Wales, from and to each Country, during the year 1887.

Countries and Ports.	Total Imports therefrom.	Exports thereto.			Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.
		Produce or Manufacture of the Colony.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom	7,998,568	6,222,331	743,725	6,966,056	1,032,512	.....
BRITISH COLONIES OR POSSESSIONS.						
Victoria	2,894,681	4,299,683	474,132	4,773,815	.....	1,879,134
Queensland	3,152,664	765,892	1,235,873	2,001,765	1,150,899	.....
South Australia	1,259,758	1,597,181	143,336	1,740,517	.....	480,759
Tasmania	587,315	76,941	54,536	131,477	455,838	.....
New Zealand	757,076	231,132	69,805	300,937	456,139	.....
Western Australia	460	10,016	9,964	19,980	.....	19,520
Canada	14,561	.....	22	22	14,539	.....
Cape Town	.....	238	.....	238	.....	238
Ceylon	12,351	1,348	95	1,443	10,908	.....
Fiji	99,880	26,823	48,279	75,102	24,778	.....
Hong Kong	268,126	201,263	28,751	230,014	38,112	.....
India	147,559	148,836	24,672	173,508	.....	25,949
Malta	19	6	.....	6	13	.....
Mauritius	642	25,888	226	26,114	.....	25,472
New Guinea	215	.....	.....	.....	215	.....
Norfolk Island	.....	46	546	592	.....	592
Penang	.....	6	18	24	.....	24
Singapore	5,992	18,524	142	18,666	.....	12,674
Total British Colonies, &c....	9,201,299	7,403,823	2,090,397	9,494,220	.....	292,921

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Countries and Ports.	Total Imports therefrom.	Exports thereto.			Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.
		Produce or Manufacture of the Colony.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.		
FOREIGN STATES.	£	£	£	£	£	£
Austria	215	.....	13	13	202	.....
Belgium	37,735	555,284	2,426	557,710	.....	519,975
Chili	.....	42,690	2,200	44,890	.....	44,890
China...	251,722	14,303	207	14,510	237,212	.....
Denmark	102	.....	.....	.....	102	.....
Egypt	12,117	.....	.....	.....	12,117	.....
France	157,732	79,250	5,901	85,151	72,581	.....
Germany	296,952	92,435	7,577	100,012	196,940	.....
Holland	30	13,452	60	13,512	.....	13,482
Italy	5,762	7,445	102	7,547	.....	1,785
Japan	5,366	10	453	463	4,903	.....
Java	205	30,958	3,620	34,578	.....	34,373
Kaiser Wilhelm Land ...	.....	939	1,459	2,398	.....	2,398
Macao	13,395	.....	.....	.....	13,395	.....
Mexico	.....	1,169	.....	1,169	.....	1,169
New Caledonia	70,676	27,353	109,859	137,212	.....	66,536
Norway	33,392	.....	.....	.....	13,392	.....
Panama	.....	317	.....	317	.....	317
Peru	.....	9,187	6	9,193	.....	9,193
Philippine Islands	3,240	21,355	51	21,406	.....	18,166
Sandwich Islands	.....	7,714	4,911	12,625	.....	12,625
Spain...	.....	7,370	5,922	13,292	.....	13,292
South Seas	24,128	9,296	36,904	46,200	.....	22,072
Turkey	180	.....	.....	.....	180	.....
United States of America ...	693,420	925,680	8,763	934,443	.....	241,023
Total, Foreign States ...	1,606,369	1,846,207	190,434	2,036,641	.....	430,272
General Total ...	18,806,236	15,472,361	3,024,556	18,496,917	309,319	.....

No. 65.—General Imports into the Colony of New South Wales during the year ended 31st December, 1887.

Articles.	Value of Importations.	Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£		£
Acids—		Bedsteads, Iron	30,420
Acetic	761	Beer (in wood)	91,538
Tartaric	10,820	Beer (in bottle)	291,305
All others...	4,887	Beeswax	74
Aerated and Mineral Waters ...	3,359	Bricks—	
Agricultural Implements	100,329	Building	80
Alkalis—		Fire	4,795
Soda Ash...	2,178	Billiard Tables and Materials ...	7,795
Bicarbonate of Soda	1,979	Biscuits	5,306
Caustic Soda	4,740	Bitters—	
Soda Crystals	2,120	Over 25 per cent. of spirit ...	1,033
Soda Silicate	1,027	Under 25 per cent	9,246
Alum	87	Blacking	7,983
Antimony	49	Blankets	41,065
Anchors	478	Blue	10,405
Apparel, Wearing	895,912	Brassware	15,092
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—		Boats...	1,396
Cartridge and Cartridge Cases...	9,436	Boots and Shoes	534,205
Gun-caps...	1,413	Brushware	32,013
Fuze	4,202	Butter	39,481
Guns	12,374	Bicycles and Velocipedes	5,369
Other Firearms	3,161	Bottles (empty)	21,272
Shot	3,814	Candlenut	189
Dynamite and Lithofracteur ...	27,705	Canvas	32,623
Powder, Blasting	23,233	Candles	53,551
Powder, Sporting	6,975	Carpets	44,414
Swords	102	Cakes	3,806
Arrowroot	3,612	Carriages	15,812
Asbestos	398	Carriage-makers' Materials... ...	19,305
Asphalt	539	Carts and Waggons	9,753
Bags and Sacks—		Cement	87,058
Bags and Sacks	43,874	Chain Cable over ½-inch	2,414
Bags, Calico	2,238	Charcoal	344
Gunny and Ore Bags	5,387	Cheese	10,801
Baking Powder, Yeast, Self-raising Flour, &c.	5,735	Chinese Goods	2,389
Bark	27,467	Chinese Provisions	342
Barley, Pearl and Prepared ...	616	Chicory (raw)	1,194
Baskets and Basketware	7,136	Chicory (prepared)	1,439
Bêche-de-mer	4,548	Cocoa and Chocolate (prepared) ...	25,813

No. 65—*continued.*

Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£
Cocoa (raw)	180
Chrome Ore	4,078
Cider and Perry	187
Cobalt Ore	8,817
Coffee (raw)	22,435
Coffee (prepared)	4,892
Coin—	
Gold	266,808
Silver	7,040
Copper	590
Coal and Coke	21,797
Colours (dry), Kalsomine, and other washes	8,641
Confectionery	22,474
Copper—	
Sheets	700
Rod and Bar	127
Ore	150,859
Copra...	31,092
Cordage and Rope	35,257
Cordials not containing spirit ...	3 748
Corks and Bungs	10,512
Cotton (raw)...	414
Cotton Waste	9,437
Cream of Tartar	18,557
Cutlery	41,231
Dates	9,182
Dentists' Tools and Materials ...	4,090
Diving Gear...	1,270
Doors, Wood (not otherwise charged)	22,569
Drapery	2,089,881
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware ...	150,123
Dyes and Dye Stuffs	4,402
Dock (floating)	11,727
Earthenware and China	82,606
Effervescing Powders	1,224
Eggs	12,809
Essences (over 25 per cent. of proof spirit)	5,945
Essences (under 25 per cent.) ...	952
Exhibits	260
Farinaceous Foods and Milk Foods	4,999
Felt	1,120
Fibre	3,382
Fire-clay	430
Firewood	169
Fireworks	7,424
Fish (fresh)	17
Fish (preserved)	97,858
Flax and Hemp (see Phormium Tenax)...	12,419
Flour	684,342
Floor-cloth and Oil-cloth	38,183
Fruit—	
Bottled	1,320
Dried and Candied	101,354
Cocoanuts	3,238
Nuts (edible), except Cocoanuts	8,993
Fruits (Green, all kinds)	158,223
Fruit Salts	7,430
Fungus	12,310
Furniture	122,771
Gas-fittings	37,076
Gasoline	981
Gelatine and Isinglass	5,135
Ginger (green and dried)	2,410
Glass—	
Looking	4,594
Plate	23,908
Window	17,137
Glassware	38,967
Gloves	60,746
Glucose—	
Liquid and Syrup	953
Solid	1,058
Glue and size	2,095
Gold Bars and Dust	1,858,087
Gold Leaf	2,339
Gold Quartz...	209
Grain and Pulse—	
Barley	10,215
Beans	410
Bran	38,229

No. 65—*continued.*

Articles.	Value of Importations.
Grain and Pulse—*continued.*	£
Maize	49,648
Oats	166,534
Pease (dried and split)	8,286
Pollard	6,530
Sharps	1,153
Wheat	49,878
Grease	2,796
Grindery	43,241
Groats (Patent)	2,990
Gum	2,166
Glue Pieces	321
Hardware	364,686
Hair	3,990
Hats and Caps	158,417
Hay and Chaff	105,526
Honey	1,662
Hoofs and Bones	1,857
Hops	42,173
Horns	1,698
Indiarubber Goods	9,059
Instruments (Musical)—	
Pianos	53,692
Harmoniums and Organs	4,391
All other	12,784
Instruments—	
Optical	6,092
Surgical	2,207
Scientific	5,685
Iron and Steel—	
Oxide of	11
Pig	15,767
Scrap and Old	1,317
Pipes	34,445
Other Castings	9,625
Bar, Rod, Plate, Sheet, &c.	99,808
Bolts, Nuts, Rivets, Screws, Spikes, &c.	19,489
Other Wrought-iron or Steel	97,709
Chains	2,013
Tanks	11,071

Articles.	Value of Importations.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*	£
Safes and Iron Doors	8,331
Wire	77,635
Wire-netting	5,349
Galvanized Sheets and Bars	250,102
Galvanized Wire	5,401
Galvanized Manufactures	24,123
Ivory Nuts	3,282
Ivory	44
Jams and Jellies	63,352
Jewellery	97,347
Kapok	10,169
Lampware	22,952
Lard	631
Lead—	
Pig	3,837
Sheet and Roll	33,906
Pipes	1,637
Leather	62,832
Lime Juice	2,158
Lithographic Material	407
Live Stock—	
Cattle	607,728
Horses	163,791
Sheep	395,974
Pigs	1,277
Goats	4
Dogs	447
Poultry	1,222
Birds	190
Maccaroni and Vermicelli	1,735
Machinery	347,646
Machines, Weighing	2,190
Maizena and Corn-flour	3,818
Malt	105,422
Manures—	
Guano	538
Bone Dust	135
All others	750
Marble	11,917

No. 65—*continued.*

Articles.	Value of Importations.	Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£		£
Marble Mantelpieces	2,687	Oilmen's Stores—	
Mantelpieces, all other	466	Various	17,097
Matches	41,579	Pickles and Sauces	42,389
Mattresses	1,939	Onions	20,594
Mats and Matting	9,711	Opium	46,934
Meat—		Oysters, Fresh	4,396
Fresh	1,017	Passengers' Luggage (personal effects)	24,986
Preserved	29,659	Painters Materials	1,400
Salt Beef...	4,147	Paints and Colours in Oil	45,878
Salt Pork...	1,274	Paper, Books, &c.—	
Extract of	1,580	Books, Periodicals, and Literature	167,194
Bacon and Hams	54,302	Bags (plain)	7,982
Metal, Old	390	Brown Paper	5,235
Minerals not classified	30	Circulars, Advertising matter ...	6,282
Military and Naval Stores	142,490	Printing and Newspaper ...	138,337
Milk, Condensed and Preserved ...	72,361	Wrapping Paper...	7,307
Molasses	11,130	Writing Paper, Envelopes, Fancy Paper	28,623
Mustard	15,202	Paperhangings	14,178
Nails	26,561	Pearl Shell	15,578
Naphtha	126	Pepper	10,138
Nickel Ore	53	Phormium Tenax	6,373
Oakum	632	Photographic Materials	14,686
Oars	1,486	Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs	25,138
Oatmeal	19,595	Pipes (Tobacco)	25,420
Oils—		Pitch and Tar	3,301
Essential	2,732	Plants	3,877
Black	6,515	Plaster and Plaster of Paris ...	2,251
Castor	42,567	Playing Cards	1,117
China	11,432	Portmanteaus, Travelling Bags, &c.	9,273
Cocoanut...	1,664	Potatoes	179,834
Colza	2,065	Preserves	18,132
Kerosene...	54,484	Printers' Materials	28,550
Linseed	26,740	Putty...	846
Olive	1,456	Quicksilver	2,402
Palm	808	Railway Plant	216,850
Sperm	1,821	Resin	2,294
All other...	20,036	Rice	102,700
Oils (in bottles)—		Rice Flour or Ground Rice ...	340
Castor	2,177		
Salad	8,897		
All other...	4,666		

No. 65—*continued.*

Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£
Saddlers' Ware	32,714
Saddlery and Harness	45,294
Sago	607
Salt (in bags)	26,627
Salt (rock)	7,275
Saltpetre	816
Sandalwood	47
Sarsaparilla (over 25% spirits) ...	1,132
Sarsaparilla (under 25% spirits) ...	584
Sashes	851
Sausage Skins	12,970
Seeds	16,386
Sewing Machines	23,443
Ship Chandlery	8,886
Shooks and Staves	3,965
Silks	89,651
Silver Ore	112
Silver Plate and Plated Ware ...	64,583
Skins—	
Horned Cattle	95,087
Sheep	27,683
Kangaroo...	10,484
All other...	702
Slates—	
Roofing	13,455
Slabs	1,965
Soap—	
Toilet (fancy and scented) ...	9,991
All other kinds	10,042
Specimens of Natural History ...	1,203
Spices	7,306
Spirits—	
Brandy	182,549
Geneva	48,991
Gin	7,786
Liqueurs	7,025
Perfumes and Perfumed Spirits	14,126
Methylated	1,516
Rum	52,020
Whisky	156,328

Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£
Spirits—*continued.*	
All other	9,214
Starch and Starch Powder	14,553
Stationery (sundries)	126,701
Statuary and Monuments	10,815
Stones—	
Building	5,364
Granite	812
Flagging	1,825
Grind	463
Kerbing and Guttering	2,647
Straw	4,441
Sugar (raw)	475,958
Sugar (refined)	6,897
Sulphur	4,223
Sundries	10,280
Tallow	55,075
Tapioca and Semolina	9,380
Tea	381,258
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials	32,456
Timber—	
Rough	238,909
Dressed	122,937
Laths	5,464
Paling	1,150
Shingles	54
Tin—	
Ingots	319,902
Ore	192,314
Plates	35,341
Tinware	15,278
Tinctures	472
Tobacco—	
Unmanufactured	18,124
Manufactured	87,984
Cigarettes	19,097
Cigars	68,022
Snuff	350
Tortoiseshell	1,245

No. 65—*continued.*

Articles.	Value of Importations.	Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£		£
Toys and Fancy Goods	119,971	Woolpacks	100,410
Turnery and Woodware	26,575		
Turpentine	7,687	Wax—	
Upholstery	18,942	Paraffine	240
Varnish	11,726	Vegetable...	120
Vegetables—		Japan	190
Green	17,550		
Preserved...	3,750	Yellow Metal—	
Vinegar	12,215	Sheets	5,468
Watches and Clocks	84,189	Nails	154
Whalebone	10		
Whiting and Chalk	2,478	Zinc—	
Wine, Sparkling	36,047	Plain Sheet	2,369
Wine, other kinds	64,531	Perforated or Manufactured ...	826
Wool—		Spelter	1,819
Greasy	214,479		
Washed	98,742	Total value of Imports... £	18,806,236

SUMMARY.

	£
Food and Beverages, including Breadstuffs...	2,941,839
Wines, Fermented and Spirituous Liquors...	978,806
Live Stock	1,170,633
Animal and Vegetable Products, including Wool	1,764,952
Textile Fabrics...	3,446,128
Minerals and Metals (raw or partly worked up), not including Coal, Coin, and Bullion	1,422,193
Coal	21,797
Specie and Precious Metal	2,132,734
Articles of Education, Art, and Amusement	1,097,936
Manufactured Articles not elsewhere included	3,793,952
Articles unclassified by Customs	35,266
Total	£18,806,236

No. 66.—General Exports from the Colony of New South Wales during the year ended 31st December, 1887.

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and Other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Acids—			
Acetic	.....	223	223
Tartaric	.....	452	452
All other	12,406	360	12,766
Aerated and Mineral Waters	1,304	314	1,618
Agricultural Implements	977	8,778	9,755
Alkalis—			
Soda Ash	.....	1,072	1,072
Soda Bicarbonate	.....	239	239
Soda Caustic	.....	557	557
Soda Crystals	571	1,072	1,643
Soda Silicate	.....	15	15
Alum	.....	8	8
Anchors	.....	478	478
Antimony—			
Auriferous	622	.....	622
Ore	1,019	.....	1,019
Apparel, Wearing	1,701	22,318	24,019
Arms, Ammunitions, and Explosives—			
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases	.....	1,211	1,211
Gun Caps	.....	1,185	1,185
Fuze	.....	2,583	2,583
Guns	.....	3,286	3,286
Other Firearms	.....	148	148
Shot	.....	504 21,946	504 21,946
Dynamite and Lithofracteur	.....	7,780	7,780
Powder, Blasting	.....	1,363	1,363
Powder, Sporting	.....	271	271
Arrowroot	.....	56	56
Asbestos	.....	.....	.....
Asphalt and Bitumen	1,207	.....	1,207
Bags and Sacks	.....	8,418	8,418
Bags, Gunny and Ore	.....	1,505	1,505
Baking Powder, Self-raising Flour, Yeast, &c.	336	231	567
Bark	2,952	8,850	11,802
Barley, Prepared	58	283	341
Baskets and Basketware	372	354	726
Bêche-de-mer	.....	4,715	4,715

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and Other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Bedsteads, Iron	27	7,745	7,772
Beer (In bottle)	55	43,663	43,718
Beer (In wood)	836	3,575	4,411
Beeswax	707	.....	707
Bicycles and Velocipedes	.....	1,029	1,029
Billiard Tables and Materials	76	494	570
Biscuits	3,023	437	3,460
Bismuth	6,695	.....	6,695
Bitters (over 25 per cent. spirit)	.....	602	602
Bitters (under 25 per cent. spirit)	2,540	1,900	4,440
Blacking	.....	777	777
Blankets	.....	1,008	1,008
Blue	.....	2,302	2,302
Boats	371	382	753
Boots and Shoes	35,774	83,670	119,444
Brassware	11	1,812	1,823
Bricks—			
Building	280	.....	280
Fire	.....	357	357
Brushware	2,770	2,840	5,610
Butter	20,758	11,079	31,837
Candlenut	.....	167	167
Candles	9	5,042	5,051
Canvas	.....	5,671	5,671
Carpets	.....	602	602
Carriages	3,141	2,264	5,405
Carriage-makers' Materials	3,492	3,833	7,325
Carts and Waggons	1,208	95	1,303
Cement	.....	15,237	15,237
Chain Cable	.....	638	638
Charcoal	1,050	.....	1,050
Cheese	3,494	2,546	6,040
Chinese Goods	.....	169	169
Chinese Provisions	.....	21	21
Chicory (prepared)	.....	244	244
Chocolate and Cocoa	.....	4,005	4,005
Chrome Ore	.....	4,917	4,917
Cider and Perry	.....	50	50
Coal	960,539	.....	960,539

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Cobalt—			
Metal	1,330	.....	1,330
Ore	.....	7,102	7,102
Coffee—			
Raw	.....	3,351	3,351
Prepared	.....	2,074	2,074
Coin—			
Gold	1,256,882	21,280	1,278,162
Silver	.....	6,134	6,134
Copper	.....	437	437
Coke	6,758	193	6,951
Colours—Dry (Kalsomine and other washes)	.....	283	283
Confectionery	386	1,214	1,600
Copper—			
Ore	3,075	.....	3,075
Regulus	275	.....	275
Refined	195,752	67,201	262,953
Sheet	.....	332	332
Rod or Bar	.....	242	242
Copra	.....	23,281	23,281
Cordage and Rope	4,250	7,807	12,057
Cordage (unserviceable)	1,296	.....	1,296
Cordials (not containing spirit)	187	401	588
Corks and Bungs	.....	1,584	1,584
Cotton (raw)	.....	751	751
Cotton-waste	.....	837	837
Cream of Tartar	.....	2,109	2,109
Cutlery	.....	3,982	3,982
Dates	.....	1,204	1,204
Dentists' Tools and Materials	.....	150	150
Diving Gear	70	1,205	1,275
Doors (wood)	88	173	261
Drain Pipes	180	42	222
Drapery	601	297,163	297,764
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware	2,645	22,300	24,945
Dyes and Dye stuffs	199	1,129	1,328
Earthenware and China	.....	18,429	18,429
Effervescing Powder and Powders	.....	30	30

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Eggs	110	114	224
Essences (Flavouring) over 25 per cent. spirit	.....	94	94
Essences (Flavouring) under 25 per cent. spirit	.....	3	3
Exhibits	14,028	133	14,161
Farinaceous and Milk Food	.....	645	645
Felt	18	382	400
Fibre	.....	781	781
Fireclay	81	28	109
Firewood	1,560	.....	1,560
Fireworks	110	1,500	1,610
Fish (Fresh)	1,496	.....	1,496
Fish (Preserved)	330	31,273	31,603
Flax and Hemp	.....	1,117	1,117
Flour	20,669	191,986	212,655
Floor-cloth and Oil-cloth	.....	656	656
Fruit—			
Bottled	.....	312	312
Boiled or in Pulp	322	302	624
Dried and Candied	.....	13,311	13,311
Cocoanuts	.....	1,174	1,174
Nuts (Edible)	.....	474	474
Fresh	147,588	14,618	162,206
Fruit Salts	.....	1,056	1,056
Fungus	.....	11,110	11,110
Furniture	2,094	16,353	18,447
Gas-fittings	.....	1,233	1,233
Gasoline	412	217	629
Gelatine and Isinglass	.....	193	193
Ginger	.....	692	692
Glass—			
Broken	.....	477	477
Bottles, exclusive of medicine bottles	.....	1,057	1,057
Looking	.....	283	283
Plate	.....	1,390	1,390
Window	.....	2,092	2,092
Glassware	119	9,823	9,942
Gloves	.....	341	341
Glucose (Liquid and Syrup)	.....	8	8
Glue and Size	330	271	601
Glue (pieces)	3,857	.....	3,857
Glycerine	477	.....	477

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
Gold—	£	£	£
Bars and Dust	34,184	.....	34,184
Leaf	.....	146	146
Quartz	7,503	85	7,588
Grain and Pulse—			
Barley	149	5,142	5,291
Beans	25	461	486
Bran	2,731	5,266	7,997
Maize	55,438	8,022	63,460
Oats	2,118	12,812	14,930
Pease	72	1,914	1,986
Pollard	1,066	886	1,952
Sharps	627	153	780
Wheat	16,771	7,640	24,411
Grease	979	679	1,658
Grindery	1,092	7,279	8,371
Groats (Patent)	.....	110	110
Gum	10	591	601
Hair	2,405	186	2,591
Hardware	3,032	94,536	97,568
Hats and Caps	315	2,995	3,310
Hay and Chaff	5,332	3,864	9,196
Honey	101	192	293
Hoofs and Bones	5,125	.....	5,125
Hops	.....	13,244	13,244
Horns	7,934	.....	7,934
Houses (Wooden)	354	250	604
Indiarubber Goods	.....	1,514	1,514
Instruments (Musical)—			
Pianos	.....	8,510	8,510
Harmoniums and Organs	.....	1,941	1,941
All other	.....	5,590	5,590
Instruments—			
Optical	.....	1,233	1,233
Surgical	.....	382	382
Scientific	.....	595	595
Iron and Steel—			
Oxide of	2,117	.....	2,117
Pig	.....	6,786	6,786
Pipes	12	4,097	4,109

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*	£	£	£
Scrap and Old	.....	2,949	2,949
Other Castings	1,382	1,034	2,416
Bar, Rod, Plate, Sheet, &c.	1,078	18,424	19,502
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, Rivets, Screws, Rings, Washers	124	3,391	3,515
Other wrought-iron or Steel	110	1,870	1,980
Chains	.....	606	606
Tanks	23	581	604
Safes and Doors	.....	2,446	2,446
Wire	.....	13,685	13,685
Wire Netting	.....	7,842	7,842
Galvanized Sheets, Bars, &c.	.....	49,556	49,556
Galvanized Wire	.....	3,811	3,811
Galvanized Manufactures	3,612	2,358	5,970
Ivory Nuts	.....	2,982	2,982
Jams and Jellies	191	4,544	4,735
Jewellery	31	15,339	15,370
Kapok	.....	945	945
Kerosene Shale	62,320	.....	62,320
Lampware	209	5,443	5,652
Lard	113	35	148
Lead—			
Old	.....	1,478	1,478
Pig	.....	713	713
Sheet and Roll	.....	4,527	4,527
Pipes	.....	63	63
Leather	90,968	9,341	100,309
Lime	1,065	.....	1,065
Lime-juice	.....	563	563
Lithographic Materials	.....	57	57
Live Stock—			
Cattle	607,901	52,743	660,644
Horses	135,017	760	135,777
Sheep	663,985	3,843	667,828
Pigs	3,394	55	3,449
Mules	180	.....	180
Dogs	273	15	288
Poultry	484	5	489
Birds	466	.....	466
Macaroni and Vermicelli	.....	138	138

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Machinery	5,582	55,309	60,891
Machines (Weighing)	.....	1,267	1,267
Maizena and Corn Flour	1,055	885	1,940
Malt	.....	8,805	8,805
Manganese Ore	1,702	.....	1,702
Manures—			
Guano	.....	74	74
Bone-dust	13,053	.....	13,053
Other kinds	19,013	396	19,409
Marble	.....	1,733	1,733
Marble Mantel-pieces	.....	512	512
Matches	.....	6,589	6,589
Mattresses	2,419	1,378	3,797
Mats and Matting	102	434	536
Meat—			
Fresh	4,446	.....	4,446
Frozen	19,310	.....	19,310
Preserved	150,714	15,484	166,198
Salt Beef	2,144	1,620	3,764
Salt Pork	4,512	479	4,991
Extract of	12,276	598	12,874
Bacon and Hams	1,374	5,301	6,675
Metal (old)	.....	4,463	4,463
Milk (Condensed and Preserved)	.....	8,378	8,378
Minerals (not classified)	12,592	1,586	14,178
Mohair	42	47	89
Molasses	4,956	1,592	6,548
Mustard	.....	1,685	1,685
Nails	.....	9,156	9,156
Naphtha	16	2	18
Nickel Ore	.....	1,360	1,360
Oakum	.....	289	289
Oars	66	678	744
Oatmeal	44	1,853	1,897
Oil—			
Black	.....	1,894	1,894
Castor	.....	9,069	9,069
China	.....	2,967	2,967
Cocoanut	.....	291	291
Colza	.....	271	271

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
Oil—*continued.*	£	£	£
Kerosene	8	10,923	10,931
Linseed	.....	5,042	5,042
Olive	.....	457	457
Palm	.....	273	273
All other kinds	3,204	5,494	8,698
Oil in bottles—			
Castor	.....	435	435
Salad	.....	778	778
All other	.....	1,628	1,628
Oilmen's Stores (various)	212	2,666	2,878
Oilmen's Stores (Sauces and Pickles)	.....	7,434	7,434
Onions	802	2,877	3,679
Opium	.....	5,087	5,087
Oysters (fresh)	3,644	1,013	4,657
Painters' Material	15	208	223
Paints and Colours in Oil	2,160	8,626	10,786
Paper, Books, and Stationery—			
Bags, plain	754	1,506	2,260
Books and Periodicals	48,562	38,768	87,330
Brown	772	2,401	3,173
Circulars, advertising matter, &c.	9	134	143
Printing, News, &c.	110	5,335	5,445
Wrapping	80	632	712
Writing, Note, Envelopes fancy, &c.	.....	840	840
Paperhangings	.....	384	384
Paraffine Wax	.....	14	14
Pearl-shell	.....	13,547	13,547
Pepper	.....	1,086	1,086
Perambulators	403	488	891
Personal effects	1,777	13,500	15,277
Phormium Tenax	.....	606	606
Photographic Material	.....	4,032	4,032
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs	4,051	6,752	10,803
Pipes (Tobacco)	.....	3,281	3,281
Piping and guttering	343	.....	343
Pitch and Tar	487	702	1,189
Plants	4,762	120	4,882
Plaster and Plaster of Paris	3	460	463
Playing Cards	.....	519	519

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Portmanteaus, Bags, Travelling Bags, &c.	18	486	504
Potatoes	3,616	30,163	33,779
Preserves...	4	6,338	6,342
Printers' Material	328	7,191	7,519
Putty	39	37	76
Pyrites	230	.....	230
Quicksilver	.....	1,693	1,693
Rags	5,400	.....	5,400
Railway Plant	.....	18,554	18,554
Resin	.....	781	781
Rice	.....	20,766	20,766
Rice Flour or Ground Rice	.....	18	18
Saddler's Ware	54	738	792
Saddlery and Harness	7,578	6,971	14,549
Sago	.....	171	171
Salt	.....	4,366	4,366
Salt (Rock)	.....	34	34
Saltpetre...	.....	57	57
Sandalwood	.....	8	8
Sarsaparilla (over 25 % spirit)...	.....	126	126
Sarsaparilla (under 25 % spirit)	.....	286	286
Sashes	96	97	193
Sausage Skins	175	1,607	1,782
Seeds	5,712	3,156	8,868
Sewing Machines	.....	7,172	7,172
Ship Chandlery	16	2,057	2,073
Shooks and Staves	1,638	2,010	3,648
Silks	.....	6,451	6,451
Silver—			
Ingots	32,458	2,735	35,193
Lead	479,016	.....	479,016
Ore	62,936	.....	62,936
Silver Plate and Plated Ware...	50	12,407	12,457
Skins—			
Horned Cattle	143,968	.....	143,968
Horse	21	.....	21
Kangaroo	43,214	.....	43,214
Sheep	85,113	235	85,348
All other	15,610	69	15,679
Slates (Roofing)	.....	3,190	3,190

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
Soap—	£	£	£
Toilet (Fancy and Scented)	181	771	952
All other kinds	3,116	395	3,511
Stock	2,188	.....	2,188
Specimens of Natural History	393	70	463
Spices	10	1,603	1,613
Spirits—			
Brandy	.....	35,023	35,023
Geneva and Schnapps	.....	9,425	9,425
Gin	.....	418	418
Liqueurs	.....	453	453
Methylated	.....	395	395
Perfumed, and Perfumed Waters	.....	875	875
Rum	.....	3,584	3,584
Whiskey	.....	21,186	21,186
All other	.....	2,373	2,373
Distilled in the Colony	9,053	.....	9,053
Starch and Starch Powders	20	2,750	2,770
Stationery—Sundries	594	29,678	30,272
Statuary and Monuments	234	969	1,203
Stones—			
Building	1,742	18	1,760
Flagging	.....	5	5
Grind	.....	407	407
Mill	160	.....	160
Straw	3	.....	3
Sugar (Raw)	500	109,524	110,024
Sugar (Refined)	.....	501	501
Sulphur	.....	122	122
Sundries	1,809	5,593	7,402
Tallow	241,765	.....	241,765
Tapioca and Semolina	.....	119	119
Tea	.....	25,987	25,987
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Material	.....	9,768	9,768
Timber—			
Rough	80,100	5,689	85,789
Dressed	1,456	2,499	3,955
Laths	1	1,456	1,457
Palings	11	3	14
Posts, Rails, and Spars	2,700	28	2,728

No. 66—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
Tin—	£	£	£
Ingots	509,009	296,535	805,544
Ore	16,411	2,150	18,561
Plates	.....	5,286	5,286
Tinctures	.....	22	22
Tinware	2,720	470	3,190
Tobacco—			
Unmanufactured	18	1,865	1,883
Manufactured	23	40,580	40,603
Cigarettes	.....	2,463	2,463
Cigars	.....	20,120	20,120
Tortoiseshell	.....	1,385	1,385
Toys and Fancy Goods	1,098	38,716	39,814
Travellers' Samples	.....	10,663	10,663
Turnery	355	4,570	4,925
Turpentine	.....	833	833
Upholstery	516	1,130	1,646
Varnish	49	1,271	1,320
Vegetables—			
Green	1,307	413	1,720
Preserved	.....	1,728	1,728
Vinegar	58	1,508	1,566
Watches and Clocks	.....	49,118	49,118
Whalebone	.....	55	55
Whiting and Chalk	.....	105	105
Wines—			
Sparkling	.....	7,914	7,914
Other kinds	6,654	10,989	17,643
Wool—			
Greasy	5,981,553	208,477	6,190,030
Washed	2,929,602	80,439	3,010,041
Woolpacks	.....	8,892	8,892
Yellow Metal—			
Sheet	.....	2,878	2,878
Nails	.....	225	225
Zinc—			
Plain Sheet	.....	479	479
Perforated and Manufactured	.....	125	125
Spelter	1,712	92	1,804
Total Exports for 1887 £	15,472,361	3,024,556	18,496,917

No. 67.—Value of Imports into the Colony from the United Kingdom and various British Colonies and Possessions, 1877–87.

	From Great Britain.	From British Colonies or Possessions.									Total Great Britain and British Colonies.
		Victoria.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	Queensland.	Hong Kong.	Fiji.	India.	Other British Possessions.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877	6,471,780	2,531,449	811,292	374,393	223,482	2,476,141	180,070	32,483	.....	520,826	13,621,916
1878	6,658,628	2,897,503	889,691	286,343	245,907	2,149,534	211,439	23,728	267	331,834	13,694,884
1879	6,749,519	2,234,381	721,186	188,064	285,083	2,206,094	207,450	33,248	409	407,515	13,032,949
1880	6,536,661	2,187,119	690,407	383,106	460,735	2,224,421	228,526	54,135	653	256,020	13,021,783
1881	8,986,838	2,414,590	692,781	481,529	471,911	2,169,105	202,689	52,223	27,871	298,094	15,797,631
1882	11,155,917	2,770,245	1,017,685	614,923	737,204	2,149,766	209,470	57,424	72,739	481,792	19,269,165
1883	10,624,081	3,012,268	841,109	666,399	583,056	2,951,558	229,093	128,253	108,154	239,081	19,383,052
1884	11,423,047	3,064,816	1,002,174	575,501	881,530	2,983,178	456,313	175,016	128,185	252,494	20,942,254
1885	11,885,597	3,309,696	890,335	582,177	899,623	2,913,588	340,187	192,540	117,208	168,764	21,299,715
1886	10,445,980	2,789,700	828,174	606,740	949,567	2,568,438	280,449	176,661	100,905	66,878	18,813,492
1887	7,998,568	2,894,681	1,259,758	587,315	757,076	3,152,664	268,126	99,880	147,559	34,240	17,199,867

No. 68.—Value of Imports from the Principal Foreign Countries, 1878–87.

Year.	France.	New Caledonia.	Belgium.	Germany.	China.	South Sea Islands.	United States of America.	Other Foreign States.	Total imports from Foreign States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1878 ...	38,127	140,873	16,737	.....	245,263	58,127	622,261	288,373	1,409,761
1879 ...	52,046	159,599	.....	32,436	350,725	43,373	546,630	286,068	1,470,877
1880 ...	37,859	122,299	.....	47,169	358,129	42,789	387,056	158,979	1,154,280
1881 ...	64,118	188,745	21,579	124,910	466,830	44,498	587,865	290,836	1,789,381
1882 ...	98,176	273,370	39,951	180,951	358,783	49,185	886,171	314,147	2,200,734
1883 ...	211,722	152,096	31,162	213,709	259,108	39,347	922,574	310,071	2,139,789
1884 ...	218,755	107,509	74,904	337,881	357,208	41,537	954,665	126,203	2,218,662
1885 ...	345,231	82,181	195,318	372,557	303,595	36,929	1,008,572	93,363	2,437,746
1886 ...	216,193	64,952	173,831	361,612	195,930	36,491	1,018,773	92,274	2,160,056
1887 ...	157,732	70,676	37,735	296,952	251,722	24,128	693,420	74,004	1,606,369

No. 69.—Value of Imports into New South Wales from Great Britain, British Colonies and Possessions, and Foreign States, 1878–87.

Year.	Great Britain.	Australasian Colonies.*	Other British Possessions.	Foreign States.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
1878	6,658,628	6,468,978	567,278	1,409,761	15,104,645
1879	6,749,519	5,634,808	648,622	1,470,877	14,503,826
1880	6,536,661	5,945,788	539,334	1,154,280	14,176,063
1881	8,986,838	6,229,916	580,877	1,789,381	17,587,012
1882	11,155,917	7,289,823	821,425	2,200,734	21,467,899
1883	10,624,081	8,054,390	704,581	2,139,789	21,522,841
1884	11,423,047	8,507,199	1,012,008	2,218,662	23,160,916
1885	11,885,597	8,595,429	818,689	2,437,746	23,737,461
1886	10,445,980	7,742,619	624,893	2,160,056	20,973,548
1887	7,998,568	8,651,494	549,805	1,606,369	18,806,236

*Not including Western Australia.

No. 70.—Value of Imports Overland at each Station, 1887.

Station.	Whence Imported.			Total.
	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	
	£	£	£	£
Albury	820,100	.....	.....	820,100
Swan Hill Crossing ...	40,893	.....	.....	40,893
Tocumwall...	33,922	.....	.....	33,922
Mulwala	23,428	.....	.....	23,428
Euston	9,266	74	.....	9,340
Howlong	11,095	.....	.....	11,095
Moama	330,706	.....	.....	330,706
Corowa	96,179	.....	.....	96,179
Wentworth	52,623	230,764	.....	283,387
Thackaringa	.....	482,400	43,752	526,152
Barringun	.....	.....	500,748	500,748
Boggabilla	.....	.....	121,093	121,093
Stanthorpe...	.....	.....	3,175	3,175
Tenterfield...	.....	.....	1,274	1,274
	£1,418,212	£713,238	£670,042	£2,801,492

No. 71.—Value of Articles Exported, the Produce or Manufacture of New South Wales and of other Countries—1877-87.

Year.	Articles, the Produce or Manufacture of New South Wales.		Articles, the Produce or Manufacture of other Countries.		Total.		General Total.
	Seaward.	Overland.	Seaward.	Overland.	Seaward.	Overland.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877	7,629,476	3,407,363	2,353,563	67,498	9,983,039	3,474,861	13,457,900
1878	7,099,099	3,785,938	2,189,658	59,710	9,288,757	3,845,648	13,134,405
1879	6,704,733	4,116,023	2,278,151	33,024	8,982,884	4,149,047	13,131,931
1880	8,116,784	4,720,662	2,797,476	47,880	10,914,260	4,768,542	15,682,802
1881	9,191,890	3,961,905	3,093,454	60,556	12,285,344	4,022,461	16,307,805
1882	9,251,459	4,917,394	3,430,251	78,251	12,681,710	4,995,645	17,677,355
1883	12,293,427	4,212,695	3,661,223	94,928	15,954,650	4,307,623	20,262,273
1884	10,224,777	4,696,743	3,521,743	134,027	13,746,520	4,830,770	18,577,290
1885	9,926,114	3,240,129	3,418,920	164,944	13,345,034	3,405,073	16,750,107
1886	8,929,506	3,954,694	2,536,633	125,380	11,466,139	4,090,074	15,556,213
1887	10,426,994	5,045,367	2,863,302	161,254	13,290,296	5,206,621	18,496,917

No. 72.—Exports from New South Wales to Great Britain, British Colonies and Possessions, and Foreign States—1877-87.

Year.	Great Britain.	Australasian Colonies.	Other British Possessions.	Foreign States.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
1877	6,018,926	6,628,822	351,823	458,329	13,457,900
1878	5,516,437	6,802,373	331,898	483,697	13,134,405
1879	5,148,609	7,120,840	303,655	558,827	13,131,931
1880	7,525,637	7,381,172	303,505	472,488	15,682,802
1881	7,561,114	6,981,456	466,390	1,298,845	16,307,805
1882	7,309,691	8,425,903	734,887	1,206,874	17,677,355
1883	9,884,207	7,943,332	842,834	1,591,900	20,262,273
1884	7,683,880	8,708,323	829,447	1,355,640	18,577,290
1885	7,293,133	6,936,139	564,780	1,956,055	16,750,107
1886	6,026,954	7,544,139	517,753	1,467,367	15,556,213
1887	6,966,056	8,968,491	525,729	2,036,641	18,496,917

No. 73.—Value of Exports from the Colony, distinguishing the Countries to which Exported—1877-87.

Year.	To Great Britain.	To British Colonies or Possessions.									Total Great Britain and British Colonies.
		Victoria.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	Queensland.	Hong Kong.	Fiji.	India.	Other British Possessions.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877	6,018,926	3,898,129	352,825	57,168	489,856	1,830,209	162,403	100,727	33,866	55,462	12,999,751
1878	5,516,437	3,694,434	1,053,642	75,453	588,419	1,390,147	153,860	102,693	29,716	45,907	12,650,708
1879	5,148,609	4,177,871	773,611	82,842	639,051	1,444,767	114,105	94,299	56,171	41,776	12,573,104
1880	7,525,637	4,578,867	830,256	81,484	525,174	1,362,262	137,577	120,518	19,611	28,928	15,210,314
1881	7,561,114	4,052,694	454,764	83,949	427,295	1,959,925	179,859	125,454	142,053	21,853	15,008,960
1882	7,309,691	3,781,421	1,085,194	85,673	454,853	3,012,782	178,114	170,658	345,312	46,783	16,470,481
1883	9,884,207	4,170,599	969,083	120,662	358,627	2,314,087	208,705	248,380	310,608	85,415	18,670,373
1884	7,683,880	4,170,497	1,502,366	117,872	506,714	2,387,085	259,207	211,023	293,952	89,054	17,221,650
1885	7,293,133	3,450,796	810,953	108,758	369,055	2,174,266	246,032	128,643	122,066	90,350	14,794,052
1886	6,026,954	3,697,343	1,585,830	110,776	427,640	1,667,862	287,041	111,901	89,299	84,200	14,088,846
1887	6,966,056	4,773,815	1,740,517	131,477	300,937	2,001,765	230,014	75,102	173,508	67,085	16,460,276

No. 74.—Value of Exports to the Principal Foreign Countries—1877–87.

Year.	France.	New Caledonia.	Belgium.	Germany.	China.	South Sea Islands.	United States of America.	Other Foreign States.	Total Exports to Foreign States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877 ...	11,982	165,838	.....	.....	42,490	48,059	108,273	81,687	458,329
1878 ...	9,934	151,516	.....	6,390	26,054	52,166	128,805	108,832	483,697
1879 ...	13,619	158,193	.....	4,775	33,210	44,521	211,206	93,303	558,827
1880 ...	144	181,703	.....	.....	14,844	52,657	172,648	50,492	472,488
1881 ...	1,715	184,181	4,658	11,993	19,758	59,001	866,962	150,577	1,298,845
1882 ...	9,744	228,280	21,659	11,661	28,958	53,718	676,598	176,256	1,206,874
1883 ...	24,786	212,528	160,390	7,947	21,351	84,328	872,983	207,587	1,591,900
1884 ...	183,890	210,552	326,488	43,979	21,741	80,611	366,732	121,647	1,355,640
1885 ...	142,104	153,994	399,549	29,511	21,114	68,854	985,531	156,298	1,956,055
1886 ...	149,509	111,332	424,938	54,471	16,462	50,261	521,216	139,178	1,467,367
1887 ...	85,151	137,212	557,710	100,012	14,510	46,200	934,443	161,403	2,036,641

No. 75.—Overland Trade with Victoria, South Australia, and Queensland, 1877–87.

Year.	Victoria.		South Australia.		Queensland.	
	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877	1,360,171	2,869,945	253,838	210,414	257,807	394,502
1878	1,357,715	2,661,639	387,205	954,754	345,691	229,255
1879	933,999	3,394,764	289,304	636,171	312,118	118,112
1880	963,620	3,824,310	243,374	698,581	231,161	245,651
1881	1,210,931	3,229,664	235,769	298,004	261,948	494,793
1882	1,217,120	2,867,810	412,563	921,427	282,726	1,206,408
1883	1,266,330	2,955,808	404,322	782,552	649,843	569,263
1884	1,331,908	3,118,389	360,965	1,287,441	493,680	424,940
1885	1,555,139	2,450,444	386,252	617,606	669,739	337,023
1886	874,680	2,537,549	442,034	1,396,403	382,875	156,122
1887	1,418,212	3,421,254	713,238	1,513,241	670,042	272,126

No. 76.—Value of Exports Overland at each Station, 1887.

Name of Station.	To Victoria.			To South Australia.			To Queensland.			Total Exports Overland.
	New South Wales Produce.	British and Foreign Produce.	Total.	New South Wales Produce.	British and Foreign Produce.	Total.	New South Wales Produce.	British and Foreign Produce.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Albury	709,743	44,899	754,642	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	754,642
Howlong	27,974	95	28,069	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,069
Tocumwall	30,671	5,471	36,142	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36,142
Corowa	353,831	3,524	357,355	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	357,355
Moama	990,432	11,417	1,001,859	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,001,859
Wentworth	311,271	325	311,596	786,346	603	786,949	.....	.....	.....	1,098,545
Euston	44,936	4,308	49,244	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	49,244
Swan Hill	864,368	.....	864,368	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	864,368
Mulwala	17,974	5	17,979	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,979
Thackaringa	.....	.....	.....	684,434	41,858	726,292	160	820	980	727,272
Boggabilla	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,557	167	2,724	2,724
Barringun	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	201,742	24,543	226,285	226,285
Wilcannia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,928	8,928	8,928
Stanthorpe	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,768	75	18,843	18,843
Bourke	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,216	14,216	14,216
Tenterfield	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	150	150
Total, 1887 ... £	3,351,210	70,044	3,421,254	1,470,780	42,461	1,513,241	223,337	48,749	272,126	5,206,621

No. 77.—Number and Value of Live Stock Imported into the Colony—1876-87.

Year.	Horses.		Horned Cattle.		Sheep.		Pigs.		Other Stock.		Total.	
	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
1876	668	29,759	5,920	46,984	55,827	57,469	6	25	5	38	62,426	134,275
1877	1,563	28,951	3,563	15,419	330,062	162,627	28	80	8	146	335,224	207,223
1878	792	29,922	5,453	57,279	495,868	254,143	103	423	7	34	502,223	341,801
1879	1,522	28,326	7,203	48,684	160,123	97,016	865	921	30	150	169,743	175,097
1880	1,034	26,862	3,253	14,535	81,742	105,352	266	480	52	104	86,347	147,333
1881	1,885	40,071	9,602	63,539	198,329	196,411	272	263	8	69	210,096	300,353
1882	2,023	63,099	5 530	49,979	207,538	190,180	973	946	2	20	216,066	304,224
1883	3,067	84,649	3,460	39,319	205,558	302,249	291	335	1	2	212,377	426,554
1884	4,453	114,260	36,186	315,110	404,371	378,336	756	1,121	16	164	445,782	808,991
1885	6,708	168,495	36,602	195,602	1,134,439	788,337	970	1,590	4	8	1,178,723	1,154,032
1886	3,310	105,190	80,677	433,564	288,225	160,456	1,151	1,743	135	609	373,498	701,562
1887	5,793	163,791	135,508	607,728	864,313	395,974	982	1,277	150	451	1,006,746	1,169,221

No. 78.—Number and Value of Live Stock Exported—the produce of the Colony—1876-87.

Year.	Horses.		Horned Cattle.		Sheep.		Pigs.		Other Stock.		Total.	
	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
1876	5,807	70,543	69,889	538,196	1,084,176	526,254	3,695	6,082	7	102	1,163,574	1,141,177
1877	5,147	84,339	62,875	427,294	751,412	380,489	1,213	1,997	.....	.....	820,647	894,119
1878	3,679	66,441	51,155	395,220	578,457	272,060	903	1,258	.....	.....	634,194	734,979
1879	2,236	33,449	58,050	405,051	978,537	466,582	5,952	10,526	90	280	1,044,865	915,888
1880	3,952	61,191	86,127	450,344	1,417,552	452,756	11,212	14,705	105	72	1,248,948	979,068
1881	3,498	56,868	55,540	256,929	1,068,362	452,867	5,647	8,410	25	240	1,133,072	775,314
1882	2,917	65,018	52,137	282,044	856,190	389,851	3,176	6,763	13	54	914,433	743,730
1883	2,798	64,993	42,260	245,362	1,006,227	490,679	1,167	2,693	22	376	1,052,474	804,103
1884	4,972	128,998	40,074	209,252	1,942,204	850,522	1,610	3,530	11	140	1,988,871	1,192,444
1885	4,709	142,421	52,999	293,129	1,237,155	534,760	764	1,414	.....	.....	1,295,627	971,724
1886	4,916	126,131	51,359	297,130	1,247,514	512,421	647	1,081	21	289	1,303,357	937,052
1887	3,645	135,017	99,823	607,901	1,218,504	663,985	2,503	3,394	12	180	1,324,487	1,410,477

No. 79.—Quantity and Value of Wool Exported—the produce of the Colony—1877–87.

Year.		Seaward.		Overland.		Total.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£
1877	Washed	22,655,077	1,686,434	5,919,716	409,242	102,150,246	5,256,038
	Greasy	32,081,037	1,428,034	41,494,416	1,732,328		
1878	Washed	21,083,426	1,471,408	21,383,893	1,379,959	111,833,017	5,723,316
	Greasy	34,984,358	1,482,253	34,381,340	1,389,696		
1879	Washed	23,202,686	1,578,944	13,344,079	1,063,284	123,710,450	6,491,198
	Greasy	44,409,933	1,823,781	42,753,752	2,025,189		
1880	Washed	22,776,347	1,557,890	15,644,537	1,206,116	154,871,832	8,040,625
	Greasy	67,705,821	2,952,217	48,745,127	2,324,402		
1881	Washed	22,257,341	1,526,074	9,369,596	707,978	139,601,506	7,149,787
	Greasy	64,401,172	2,800,628	43,573,397	2,115,107		
1882	Washed	22,878,417	1,583,090	12,548,345	958,494	146,221,182	7,433,091
	Greasy	63,396,005	2,745,333	47,398,415	2,146,174		
1883	Washed	29,964,411	2,180,763	10,777,737	900,297	188,161,710	9,598,761
	Greasy	104,050,751	4,490,831	43,368,811	2,026,870		
1884	Washed	28,786,434	2,050,960	11,090,192	1,005,791	173,986,303	8,953,100
	Greasy	91,605,801	3,904,019	42,503,876	1,992,330		
1885	Washed	30,761,463	1,941,956	5,843,992	385,083	168,151,659	7,246,642
	Greasy	92,705,041	3,352,076	38,841,163	1,566,927		
1886	Washed	27,576,597	1,516,222	13,891,189	928,463	173,985,640	7,028,596
	Greasy	87,316,233	2,921,834	45,201,621	1,662,077		
1887	Washed	36,454,043	2,077,198	11,092,463	852,404	216,450,342	8,911,155
	Greasy	114,571,365	3,802,793	54,332,471	2,178,760		

No. 80.—Value of Principal Articles Imported for Home Consumption—1881-87.

Articles.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Agricultural Implements	39,829	65,303	105,462	77,031	56,946	54,119	91,551
Apparel—Wearing	305,222	336,064	367,625	807,799	909,942	1,234,823	1,089,421
Beer	153,125	208,875	262,137	296,926	356,414	386,280	335,605
Boots and Shoes	358,370	510,647	469,242	451,824	540,916	501,640	450,535
Butter	29 739	82,560	81,224	137,370	99,370	147,545	28,402
Candles	71,162	119,946	64,164	162,273	148,643	73,865	48,509
Cement	116,058	119,946	112,057	211,487	208,756	211,591	71,821
Coin	27,169	160,126	474,040	344,297	417,972	402,524	246,587
Copper Ore *a*	84,968	194,929	104,084	238,215	198,988	150,510	150,859
Drapery	2,985,582	3,637,536	3,455,421	2,780,602	2,994,069	2,563,767	2,186,739
Drugs and Medicines	170,193	117,089	193,814	246,467	296,621	181,532	127,823
Earthenware and Glassware	128,373	168,035	166,194	204,024	239,714	168,108	93,121
Fish—Salt, Dried, and Preserved	110,611	131,224	145,676	147,807	85,585	74,415	66,585
Flour	190,920	443,605	311,461	365,230	448,531	586,370	492,356
Fruit	190,122	186,644	205,105	262,163	245,601	249 701	230,706
Furniture	125.332	189,128	216,865	179,320	189,408	249,715	106,418
Glass	46,245	62,830	46,142	81,503	62,999	39,809	41,874
Gold	1,165.535	978,712	754,304	1,309,862	1,106,071	1,459,815	1,850,002
Grain and Pulse	126,041	387,714	196,467	401,501	347,046	319,602	289,201
Hardware	446,889	615.019	654,426	584,010	531,794	535,191	270,159
Hay and Chaff	65,316	151,491	120,851	163,928	92,128	211,654	101,662
Hops	47,495	62,296	106,833	36,344	36,238	36,508	28,929
Instruments—Musical	102,818	141,397	144,633	152,942	132,560	94,297	54,826
Iron and Steel	518,217	939,679	773,761	835,213	1,118,402	644,320	557,505
Jams and Jellies	80,015	122,046	100,450	94,901	79,133	70,024	58,808
Jewellery	83,835	127,399	143,203	135,732	132,168	153,829	82,008
Leather	55,995	65,699	59,518	68,320	64,742	56,149	53,491

a Refined, and afterwards re-exported.

No. 80—*continued.*

Articles.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Liquors—Spirituous	462,141	462,771	440,156	529,358	481,851	436,845	419,825
Live Stock	298,889	293,490	409,468	766,098	1,069,540	627,089	1,113,202
Machinery	218,942	313,845	413,655	460,566	408,621	272,960	292,337
Machines—Sewing	63,409	74,917	61,580	54,669	27,863	37,058	16,271
Malt	94,720	126,809	117,942	143,537	141,008	145,423	96,617
Oil	139,481	135,996	138,632	192,551	167,141	163,892	135,842
Opium	44,412	56,006	67,179	41,497	39,014	63,869	41,847
Paint...	59,806	75,236	54,289	83,396	75,816	61,849	37,252
Potatoes	96,626	190,980	152,261	213,400	197,170	233,380	149,661
Powder	61,773	87,169	90,442	109,840	94,953	64,702	21,065
Provisions	79,991	102,360	86,459	247,534	261,507	38,258	19,563
Railway Plant	296,823	361,603	283,016	404,994	527,204	277,829	198,296
Rice	93,036	75,146	47,112	97,435	61,417	72,879	81,934
Silver Plate and Plated Ware	66,571	85,886	75,615	70,163	73,041	68,591	52,176
Saddlery and Harness	56,616	75,315	83,340	65,434	53,009	48,575	38,323
Skins	102,560	104,726	131,061	132,616	141,653	130,003	133,652
Stationery, Books, &c.	422,822	456,178	400,720	496,876	534,630	510,396	392,700
Sugar...	668,903	839,081	745,399	854,079	498,584	375,016	372,830
Tallow	89,052	84,366	89,328	49,501	40,501	40,673	55,075
Tea	500,562	410,293	277,782	495,145	405,154	275,655	355,271
Timber	205,715	417,693	395,156	385,724	460,414	433,677	358,839
Tin Ore *a*	119,152	213,745	250,152	195,148	98,905	126,605	190,164
Tin Plates and Ware	85,749	47,533	40,505	53,464	69,259	28,318	44,863
Tobacco	101,857	117,389	131,101	111,712	110,263	160,983	128,549
Toys and Fancy Goods	63,012	83,016	125,278	117,690	115,378	39,252	81,255
Upholstery	22,171	24,283	18,550	81,387	91,462	73,960	17,812
Watches and Clocks	60,459	82,134	108,926	104,391	96,950	117,155	35,071
Wine...	77,296	71,535	122,075	106,186	116,463	29,302	81,675

a Exported in ingots.

No. 81.—Value of Principal Articles Imported, and afterwards Exported, 1881–87.

Articles.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Agricultural Implements	5,609	7,974	14,613	9,403	6,068	5,338	8,778
Apparel—Wearing	14,362	21,041	30,792	30,792	38,374	35,696	25,654
Beer	32,376	31,073	28,469	26,039	33,268	33,174	47,238
Boots and Shoes	81,039	125,149	102,160	129,996	108,941	80,673	83,670
Butter	1,002	7,862	7,636	9,778	18,825	11,991	11,079
Candles	8,869	7,909	5,738	7,592	8,110	8,274	5,042
Coin	10,514	53,734	17,417	15,627	18,255	8,016	27,851
Copper—Raw and Ore	92,025	52,747	70,006	185,353	104,695	108,317	67,775
Drapery	425,094	449,636	419,969	436,557	414,834	323,344	310,895
Drugs and Medicines	20,663	23,356	26,656	31,103	36,562	21,641	22,300
Earthenware and Glassware	36,904	41,747	35,422	41,429	39,046	27,593	28,252
Fish—Salt, Dried, and Preserved	33,363	25,935	35,984	36,635	33,324	28,576	31,273
Flour	197,531	199,946	167,023	154,426	75,784	63,002	191,986
Fruit	20,434	23,275	25,767	19,518	28,684	31,079	30,191
Furniture	20,120	35,342	30,631	41,490	42,029	28,475	16,353
Gold	32,983	190	.....	.....	892	2,880	85
Grain and Pulse	10,221	24,964	22,591	48,211	34,105	23,159	41,682
Hardware	96,070	122,821	139,196	132,882	117,338	82,058	94,536
Hay	1,705	2,298	2,250	17,480	9,918	8,174	3,864
Hops	4,498	14,559	16,277	14,391	5,705	2,825	13,244
Instruments—Musical	15,424	22,452	23,314	26,352	32,293	17,289	16,041
Iron and Steel, including Wire and Galvanized Iron.	92,862	132,979	162,927	119,518	100,074	88,663	76,860
Jewellery	37,541	38,821	40,521	42,891	36,962	21,244	15,339
Leather	10,803	12,498	13,236	6,223	13,709	11,561	9,341

No. 81—*continued.*

Articles.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Liquors—Fermented and Spirituous ...	88,403	97,812	92,115	76,830	76,885	88,882	73,732
Live Stock	2,620	11,834	18,475	44,529	86,025	75,080	57,431
Machinery	60,530	74,916	96,105	116,871	76,650	53,691	55,309
Machines—Sewing	23,711	21,218	15,152	9,590	15,116	6,641	7,172
Nickel—Metal and Ore	131,830	158,818	71,900	45,470	24,230	8,162	1,300
Oil	27,144	25,934	32,335	44,119	42,122	39,802	36,681
Opium	13,773	13,168	12,749	13,466	8,013	15,390	5,087
Paint...	5,286	9,546	8,401	9,835	7,512	7,725	8,626
Potatoes	14,034	22,598	17,739	28,022	25,103	27,183	30,163
Provisions and Vegetables...	13,788	68,253	186,899	37,158	154,699	18,300	7,500
Rice	19,671	26,288	31,076	28,723	30,749	18,662	20,766
Silver Plate and Plated Ware	7,141	10,644	17,960	14,456	17,026	14,708	12,407
Saddlery and Harness	5,497	7,316	9,946	10,689	8,853	7,059	6,971
Skins...	10,991	4,470	27,452	8,675	25,693	.....	304
Stationery, Books, &c.	80,513	95,531	109,331	113,577	97,633	71,117	79,678
Sugar	20,705	26,887	22,696	33,322	39,176	109,642	110,025
Tallow	45,282	20,789	56,611	6,555	52,170	2,160	.....
Tea	44,946	54,567	67,456	48,399	52,885	35,892	25,987
Tin—Ingots and Ore	256,937	261,999	257,666	241,809	306,572	252,406	298,685
Plates and Ware	10,347	16,398	11,102	5,676	7,329	5,633	5,756
Tobacco	48,834	53,868	53,151	56,083	74,379	59,913	65,028
Toys and Fancy Goods	63,450	74,896	84,324	77,345	71,517	37,443	38,716
Watches and Clocks	6,401	7,209	11,977	24,628	17,919	17,176	49,118
Wine...	25,535	31,686	24,198	19,063	20,449	17,378	18,903
Wool...	381,005	340,613	537,483	429,399	431,605	173,380	288,916

No. 82.—Value of Principal Articles of Home Produce or Manufacture Exported, 1881–87.

Articles.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Apparel and Drapery	5,863	12,964	6,658	5,342	4,491	1,876	2,617
Boots and Shoes	45,150	48,578	52,610	55,378	45,710	23,164	35,774
Coal	417,530	647,033	829,662	931,045	966,663	977,002	960,539
Coin	1,632,928	1,530,147	1,559,678	858,293	1,371,684	1,584,324	1,256,882
Copper	355,062	324,727	577,201	416,179	264,920	167,665	199,102
Flour	17,220	30,659	26,521	22,054	13,720	19,846	20,669
Fruit	106,185	88,198	117,224	98,339	114,501	112,371	147,910
Furniture	4,317	6,306	3,033	3,792	3,820	2,037	2,094
Gold	282,095	152,454	129,839	75,838	79,440	35,608	41,687
Grain and Pulse	127,407	64,117	60,762	65,303	80,143	57,856	78,997
Leather	134,895	142,473	98,224	124,548	103,026	100,930	90,968
Liquors—Fermented and Spirituous ...	8,570	12,285	7,400	14,548	11,041	12,160	9,944
Live Stock	775,827	744,714	786,295	1,196,136	972,972	937,846	1,411,700
Provisions	201,311	176,297	275,584	183,292	180,195	94,559	194,776
Silver and Silver Ore	13,026	9,024	18,113	142,954	266,813	492,029	574,410
Skins	208,021	263,856	295,603	290,736	273,089	303,885	287,926
Sugar	116,760	75,056	60,635	36,946	857	.....	500
Tallow	267,177	236,271	358,914	197,707	195,821	145,198	241,765
Timber	23,816	41,714	67,149	101,944	55,061	61,975	84,268
Tin	724 003	833,461	824,552	521,587	415,626	467,653	525,420
Wine	7,233	7,166	14,430	10,816	8,156	7,581	6,654
Wool	7,149,787	7,433,091	9,598,761	8,953,100	7,246,642	7,028,596	8,911,155

No. 83.—Classification of the Imports and Exports of the Colony, 1877–87.

Year.	Food and Beverages, including Breadstuffs.	Wines, Fermented and Spirituous Liquors.	Live Stock.	Animal and Vegetable Products, including Wool.	Textile Fabrics.	Minerals and Metals, raw or partly worked up, not including Coal, Coin, and Bullion.	Coal.	Specie and Precious Metals.	Articles of Education, Art, and Amusement.	Manufactured Articles, not elsewhere included.	Articles Unclassified by Customs.	Total.
TOTAL IMPORTS.												
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877... ...	2,684,531	862,260	208,400	990,190	2,998,710	999,925	.....	1,274,010	886,065	3,565,417	137,086	14,606,594
1878... ...	2,651,807	700,447	342,336	1,037,366	3,360,315	682,107	.....	1,193,149	902,444	3,807,445	91,457	14,768,873
1879... ...	2,532,002	838,995	126,479	1,061,346	2,515,320	516,008	.....	1,396,969	999,117	4,052,988	159,623	14,198,847
1880... ...	2,394,791	705,597	148,202	1,434,520	2,915,059	761,549	.....	1,218,048	695,421	3,509,550	167,338	13,950,075
1881... ...	2,838,387	838,876	301,509	1,272,281	3,732,662	981,794	.....	1,237,566	1,140,116	4,861,302	204,833	17,409,326
1882... ...	3,656,424	903,812	305,524	1,621,222	4,444,277	996,591	.....	1,192,850	1,359,326	6,525,699	275,405	21,281,130
1883... ...	3,141,388	969,150	427,943	1,822,267	4,210,429	1,209,087	.....	1,246,791	1,429,560	6,242,957	260,585	20,960,157
1884... ...	3,861,455	1,054,402	810,627	1,883,870	4,051,731	1,158,574	.....	1,669,786	1,542,984	6,566,290	227,266	22,826,985
1885... ...	3,422,547	1,085,330	1,155,565	1,763,149	4,359,841	1,130,085	11,780	1,543,190	1,515,688	7,084,544	293,477	23,365,196
1886... ...	3,308,673	1,015,998	702,169	2,074,785	4,190,766	1,007,600	22,549	1,675,967	1,309,152	5,555,471	110,418	20,973,548
1887... ...	2,941,839	978,806	1,170,633	1,764,952	3,446,128	1,422,193	21,797	2,132,734	1,097,936	3,793,952	35,266	18,806,236

NOTE.—The general totals of some years shown in this table differ slightly from those given in previous tables, the differences arise from the impossibility of accurately classifying the Queensland trade during these years.

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Year.	Food and Beverages, including Breadstuffs.	Wines, Fermented and Spirituous Liquors.	Live Stock.	Animal and Vegetable Products, including Wool.	Textile Fabrics	Minerals and Metals, raw or partly worked up, not including Coal, Coin, and Bullion.	Coal.	Specie and Precious Metals.	Articles of Education, Art, and Amusement.	Manufactured Articles, not elsewhere included.	Articles Unclassified by Customs.	Total]
NET IMPORTS (Home Consumption).												
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877... ...	2,285,675	700,221	168,749	431,648	2,693,234	756,164	.....	1,203,168	715,773	3,131,465	99,436	12,185,533
1878... ...	2,387,474	622,699	315,209	609,866	2,953,344	536,068	.....	1,082,430	680,759	3,266,139	65,517	12,519,505
1879... ...	2,238,466	718,798	124,819	565,447	2,107,938	329,133	.....	1,286,609	782,993	3,597,446	136,023	11,887,672
1880... ...	2,011,382	568,424	141,989	757,428	2,487,986	415,599	.....	1,181,962	463,891	2,937,208	138,850	11,104,719
1881... ...	2,407,632	692,382	298,889	635,871	3,286,870	454,783	.....	1,215,435	910,611	4,176,545	176,298	14,255,316
1882... ...	3,121,984	733,005	293,695	1,045,799	3,965,700	494,853	.....	1,136,906	1,036,969	5,698,089	245,628	17,772,628
1883... ...	2,576,065	823,368	409,468	1,042,030	3,752,404	702,678	.....	1,222,844	1,114,090	5,321,282	239,777	17,204,006
1884... ..	3,368,290	932,470	766,098	1,181,176	3,576,552	640,554	.....	1,650,959	1,211,518	5,658,585	185,013	19,171,215
1885... ...	2,875,425	954,726	1,069,540	1,063,457	3,901,687	647,997	11,780	1,521,243	1,214,680	6,266,012	254,785	19,781,332
1886... ...	2,895,496	908,255	627,089	1,661,217	3,827,307	581,922	22,549	1,662,371	1,146,627	4,893,023	75,679	18,301,535
1887... ...	2,395,236	835,570	1,133,212	1,293,865	3,105,508	987,287	21,604	2,101,955	849,974	3,051,919	5,510	15,781,640

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Year.	Food and Beverages, including Breadstuffs.	Wines, Fermented and Spirituous Liquors.	Live Stock.	Animal and Vegetable Products, including Wool.	Textile Fabrics.	Minerals and Metals, raw or partly worked up, not including Coal, Coin, and Bullion.	Coal.	Specie and Precious Metals.	Articles of Education, Art, and Amusement.	Manufactured Articles not elsewhere included.	Articles Unclassified by Customs.	Total.
EXPORTS OF BRITISH AND FOREIGN PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE.												
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877... ...	389,856	162,039	39,651	558,542	305,476	243,761	.....	70,842	170,292	433,952	37,650	2,421,061
1878... ...	264,333	137,748	27,127	427,500	406,971	146,039	.....	110,719	221,685	481,306	25,940	2,249,368
1879... ...	293,536	169,487	1,660	495,899	407,382	186,875	.....	110,360	216,124	406,252	23,600	2,311,175
1880... ...	383,409	137,173	6,213	677,092	427,073	345,950	.....	36,086	231,530	572,342	28,488	2,845,356
1881... ...	430,755	146,494	2,620	636,410	445,792	527,011	.....	22,131	229,505	684,757	28,535	3,154,010
1882... ...	534,440	170,807	11,829	575,423	478,577	501,738	.....	55,944	322,357	827,610	29,777	3,508,502
1883... ...	565,323	145,782	18,475	780,237	458,025	506,409	.....	23,947	315,470	921,675	20,808	3,756,151
1884... ...	493,165	121,932	44,529	702,694	475,179	518,020	.....	18,827	331,466	907,705	42,253	3,655,770
1885... ...	547,122	130,604	86,025	699,692	458,154	482,088	.....	21,947	301,008	818,532	38,692	3,583,864
1886... ...	413,177	107,743	75,080	413,568	363,459	425,678	.....	13,596	162,525	662,448	34,739	2,672,013
1887... ...	546,603	143,236	57,421	471,087	340,620	434,906	193	30,779	247,962	721,993	29,756	3,024,556

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Year.	Food and Beverages, including Breadstuffs	Wines, Fermented and Spirituous Liquors.	Live Stock.	Animal and Vegetable Products, including Wool.	Textile Fabrics.	Minerals and Metals, raw or partly worked up, not including Coal, Coin, and Bullion.	Coal.	Specie and Precious Metals.	Articles of Education, Art, and Amusement.	Manufactured Articles, not elsewhere included.	Articles Unclassified by Customs.	Total.
EXPORTS OF HOME PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE.												
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877... ...	436,118	21,329	894,742	5,725,826	384	836,315	651,184	1,833,381	6,961	292,462	6,056	10,704,758
1878... ...	355,634	17,909	735,242	6,114,914	1,050	783,382	709,719	1,714,574	9,073	255,730	19,284	10,716,511
1879... ...	517,168	22,255	916,250	7,013,620	693	670,676	696,443	714,874	8,605	199,352	15,708	10,775,644
1880... ...	563,101	14,907	979,088	8,713,597	183	879,907	427,612	852,654	6,158	228,380	14,195	12,679,782
1881... ...	525,062	15,803	775,827	7,781,463	5,900	1,148,335	423,605	1,928,049	10,960	267,668	12,821	12,895,493
1882... ...	442,993	19,451	744,714	8,052,844	12,964	1,256,361	652,524	1,691,625	12,158	313,715	9,110	13,208,459
1883... ...	561,101	21,830	786,295	10,452,533	6,761	1,466,325	837,344	1,706,005	10,867	265,059	15,747	16,129,867
1884... ...	401,349	25,364	1,193,136	9,583,529	5,538	1,107,749	937,522	953,911	11,113	364,920	11,605	14,595,736
1885... ...	341,163	19,197	972,972	7,889,386	4,506	853,663	969,241	1,610,311	8,390	275,619	13,433	12,957,881
1886... ...	249,950	21,180	937,846	7,764,691	1,876	944,428	953,906	1,818,200	7,608	170,852	13,663	12,884,200
1887... ...	427,929	19,325	1,412,200	9,665,580	2,737	1,365,921	967,297	1,331,027	77,541	199,218	3,586	15,472,361

NOTE.—It has been found possible to include only part of the Queensland overland trade in the above statement. The portion not included consisting mainly of live stock.

No. 84.—Value per Head of Mean Population of Principal Articles Imported for Home Consumption, 1877-87.

Articles.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Agricultural Implements	0 11	1 3	1 3	0 9	1 1	1 8	2 6	1 9	1 3	1 0	1 10
Apparel—Wearing	11 4	17 7	12 3	7 0	8 0	8 5	7 4	18 4	19 7	25 2	21 3
Beer	6 0	5 4	6 5	4 3	4 0	5 3	6 3	6 9	7 8	7 11	6 7
Boots and Shoes	8 11	7 8	10 3	8 5	9 5	12 11	11 3	10 3	11 7	10 3	8 10
Butter	1 1	0 7	0 2	0 2	0 9	2 1	1 11	3 1	2 2	3 0	0 7
Candles	3 2	2 0	1 10	0 8	1 10	3 0	1 6	3 8	3 2	1 6	0 11
Drapery	71 4	72 4	62 6	60 8	78 6	91 6	82 10	63 2	64 4	52 4	38 10
Earthenware and Glassware	2 8	3 0	3 8	2 8	3 4	4 3	4 0	4 8	5 2	3 5	1 10
Fish—Salt, Dried, and Preserved	4 0	6 6	1 9	1 3	2 11	2 7	3 6	3 4	1 10	1 6	1 4
Flour	8 6	11 1	8 3	9 6	5 0	11 2	7 6	8 4	9 8	12 0	9 8
Fruit	4 2	3 6	2 7	3 4	5 0	4 8	4 11	5 11	5 3	5 4	4 9
Furniture	2 10	3 9	2 9	1 8	3 4	4 9	5 2	4 1	4 1	5 1	3 0
Grain and Pulse	9 8	7 7	4 7	4 3	3 4	9 9	4 9	9 1	7 5	8 11	5 8
Hardware	8 1	11 6	11 11	7 11	11 9	15 6	15 8	13 3	11 5	10 11	6 5
Hay and Chaff	3 0	0 4	0 7	1 7	1 9	3 9	2 11	3 9	2 0	4 4	2 0
Iron and Steel	18 10	18 7	13 2	13 11	13 8	22 10	18 7	18 11	24 0	15 6	14 11
Liquors—Spirit	12 10	10 11	12 0	10 0	12 2	11 8	10 7	12 0	10 4	8 9	7 0
Machinery	8 0	5 2	5 10	3 9	5 9	7 11	9 11	10 6	8 9	5 7	5 8
Potatoes	4 0	3 3	2 0	2 6	2 6	4 9	3 8	4 10	4 3	4 9	2 11
Saddlery and Harness	2 1	1 6	1 7	1 4	1 6	1 11	2 0	1 6	1 2	1 0	1 4
Stationery, Paper, Books, &c.	15 4	11 0	9 11	8 4	11 1	11 6	9 7	11 3	11 6	10 2	8 0
Sugar	18 0	21 0	23 4	13 11	17 7	21 2	17 10	19 5	10 9	7 6	7 3
Tea	11 1	8 11	11 9	11 0	13 2	10 4	6 8	11 3	8 8	5 8	6 11
Timber	4 1	5 9	6 6	5 0	5 11	11 5	10 6	9 6	11 0	9 3	7 0
Tobacco	3 6	5 5	1 4	1 1	2 8	3 0	3 2	2 6	2 4	3 3	2 6
Toys and Fancy Goods	1 9	2 1	2 0	0 10	1 6	2 11	3 0	2 8	2 6	0 9	1 7
Wine	3 4	2 9	2 4	0 11	2 0	1 10	2 11	2 5	2 6	1 11	1 7

No. 85.—Value per Head of the Mean Population of the Principal Articles of Home Produce and Manufacture Exported, 1877-87.

Articles.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Boots and Shoes	1 10	1 5	1 5	1 4	1 2	1 2	1 3	1 3	1 0	0 6	0 8
Coal	20 0	21 6	20 1	11 9	11 0	16 3	19 10	21 2	20 9	19 4	18 9
Coin *	57 8	50 3	20 0	22 10	42 11	38 6	37 4	19 6	29 6	32 4	24 7
Copper	9 9	10 6	7 5	10 0	9 4	8 2	13 10	9 5	5 8	3 5	3 5
Flour	0 7	0 5	0 4	0 3	0 5	0 9	0 7	0 6	0 4	0 5	0 5
Fruit	2 1	2 2	2 6	2 6	2 10	2 2	2 9	2 3	2 5	2 3	2 11
Gold	0 5	1 5	0 2	0 0½	7 5	3 10	3 1	1 9	1 8	0 9	0 10
Grain and Pulse	4 7	4 8	3 10	3 0	3 4	1 7	1 5	1 6	1 9	1 1	1 6
Leather	2 11	2 9	1 10	2 10	3 7	3 7	2 4	2 10	2 3	2 1	1 9
Live Stock	28 5	22 4	26 6	27 0	20 5	18 8	18 10	27 2	20 11	19 2	27 7
Provisions	4 6	1 10	4 5	5 2	5 4	4 5	6 7	4 2	3 10	1 7	3 10
Silver and Silver Ore	0 3	0 5	0 6	0 7	0 4	0 2	0 5	3 3	5 9	8 8	11 3
Skins	4 3	2 8	4 0	5 1	5 6	6 7	7 1	6 7	5 10	6 2	5 8
Sugar	4 4	4 1	4 11	4 9	3 1	1 10	1 5	0 10	.....	.....	.....
Tallow	4 8	2 11	6 3	9 8	7 0	5 11	8 7	4 6	4 2	3 0	4 9
Timber	0 10	1 1	1 0	0 6	0 7	1 0	1 7	2 4	1 2	1 3	1 8
Tin	16 2	12 1	10 10	13 0	19 1	20 11	19 9	11 10	8 11	9 6	10 3
Wool	167 2	174 0	188 0	221 7	188 1	187 0	230 1	203 3	155 8	143 5	174 4

* Coined at Mint, but mostly from gold the produce of other Colonies.

No. 86.—Value of Imports, Exports, and Total Trade per Head—1871-87.

Year.	Imports.		Exports.			Trade.
	Imports for Home Consumption.	Total Imports per Head.	New South Wales Produce Exported.	Other Produce Exported.	Total Exports per Head.	Total Trade per Head.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1871	17 10 6	21 10 3	18 3 4	3 19 9	22 3 1	43 13 4
1872	13 12 2	18 3 5	15 6 9	4 11 3	19 18 0	38 1 5
1873	15 12 10	20 2 7	18 13 9	4 9 9	23 3 6	43 6 1
1874	17 15 9	21 12 8	18 2 5	3 16 11	21 19 4	43 12 0
1875	19 14 10	23 9 11	19 16 11	3 15 1	23 12 0	47 1 11
1876	19 0 11	22 16 9	17 16 6	3 15 10	21 12 4	44 9 1
1877	19 15 5	23 12 4	17 11 0	3 16 11	21 7 11	45 0 3
1878	19 10 11	22 19 3	16 11 0	3 8 4	19 19 4	42 18 7
1879	17 3 1	21 0 0	15 13 4	3 6 11	19 0 3	40 0 3
1880	15 12 2	19 10 7	17 13 10	3 18 5	21 12 3	41 2 10
1881	18 19 9	23 2 8	17 6 1	4 2 11	21 9 0	44 11 8
1882	22 2 0	27 0 3	17 16 7	4 8 3	22 4 10	49 5 1
1883	21 5 11	25 15 11	19 15 9	4 10 0	24 5 9	50 1 8
1884	22 2 11	26 5 11	16 18 10	4 3 0	21 1 10	47 7 9
1885	21 13 1	25 10 0	14 2 11	3 16 11	17 19 10	43 9 10
1886	18 13 4	21 7 10	13 3 1	2 14 6	15 17 7	37 5 5
1887	15 8 8	18 7 10	15 2 8	2 19 2	18 1 10	36 9 8

No. 87. - Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered from each Country at Ports in the Colony during the year 1887.

Countries whence arrived.	British.			Foreign.			Total		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
South Australia	324	151,730	6,453	3	2,472	44	327	154,202	6,497
Western Australia	19	8,293	203	.....	.....	.....	19	8,293	203
Argentine Republic	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Great Britain	207	357,875	13,015	2	2,296	41	209	360,171	13,056
Belgium	2	1,982	37	.....	.....	.....	2	1,982	37
Brazil	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Canada...	4	3,909	75	3	1,919	36	7	5,828	111
China	3	4,768	155	.....	.....	.....	3	4,768	155
Cape Colony	1	1,299	24	.....	.....	.....	1	1,299	24
France...	1	540	13	15	35,957	2,267	16	36,497	2,280
Fiji	34	21,737	859	1	498	10	35	22,235	869
Germany	4	4,111	78	22	32,331	1,622	26	36,442	1,700
Hong Kong	52	5,413	3,109	... .	.....	.....	52	75,413	3,109
India	13	21,200	814	.....	.....	.....	13	21,200	814
Mauritius	1	1,198	22	.....	.....	.....	1	1,198	22

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Countries whence arrived.	British.			Foreign.			Total		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
New Zealand	232	138,893	5,388	8	3,479	71	240	142,372	5,459
New Caledonia	19	5,858	163	30	46,044	3,424	49	51,902	3,587
New Guinea	.....	.....	.....	1	493	13	1	493	13
Norway	1	1,675	45	7	4,971	94	8	6,646	139
Queensland	535	267,798	13,013	11	7,064	131	546	274,862	13,144
Singapore	3	3,791	165	.....	.....	.....	3	3,791	165
South Sea Islands	15	2,261	112	19	14,841	726	34	17,102	838
Tasmania	121	67,823	2,424	7	3,338	69	128	71,161	2,493
United States of America	23	23,940	444	34	40,279	1,432	57	64,219	1,876
Victoria	981	732,605	24,344	56	47,455	781	1,037	780,060	25,125
Whaling voyage	.....	.....	.....	1	321	32	1	321	32
Sailing	771	471,562	10,254	141	101,270	1,828	912	572,832	12,082
Steam	1,824	1,427,137	60,701	79	142,488	8,965	1,903	1,569,625	69,666
Total	2,595	1,898,699	70,955	220	243,758	10,793	2,815	2,142,457	81,748

No. 88.—Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Cleared for each Country from the Colony of New South Wales during 1887.

ountries to which departed.	British.			Foreign.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
South Australia	332	135,553	6,058	1	641	11	333	136,194	6,069
Western Australia	25	8,319	230	1	273	7	26	8,592	237
Great Britain	118	239,127	10,241	4	3,764	74	122	242,891	10,315
Belgium	1	1,427	38	.....	.....	.....	1	1,427	38
Chili	41	40,113	752	8	5,007	106	49	45,120	858
China	10	13,315	416	3	1,994	41	13	15,309	457
Ceylon	1	1,598	30	.....	.....	.....	1	1,598	30
Cape Colony	1	350	8	.....	.....	.....	1	350	8
Columbia	.....	.....	.....	1	413	13	1	413	13
Fiji	58	32,152	1,424	3	2,136	38	61	34,288	1,462
France	.....	.....	.....	13	34,535	2,236	13	34,535	2,236
Germany	.....	.....	.....	13	25,922	1,418	13	25,922	1,418
Holland	1	1,198	23	3	2,362	45	4	3,560	68
Hong Kong	49	72,803	2,895	4	3,023	56	53	75,826	2,951
India	31	45,213	1,329	3	2,208	56	34	47,421	1,385
Italy	.....	.....	.....	3	1,801	36	3	1,801	36
Java	21	22,516	510	19	15,460	258	40	37,976	768
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	.....	.....	.....	1	493	13	1	493	13
Mauritius	8	5,913	146	5	2,434	54	13	8,347	200

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Countries to which departed.	British.			Foreign.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
Mexico	.....	.....	.....	3	1,591	34	3	1,591	34
New Zealand	250	145,414	5,783	2	563	15	252	145,977	5,798
New Caledonia	25	9,201	255	31	45,395	3,327	56	54,596	3,582
Peru	10	8,808	176	.....	.....	.....	10	8,808	176
Philippine Islands	6	7,165	111	20	20,073	309	26	27,238	420
Queensland	487	238,942	12,394	3	1,467	29	490	240,409	12,423
Russia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spain	1	839	23	3	1,685	36	4	2,524	59
Sandwich Islands	1	799	19	10	6,625	122	11	7,424	141
Singapore	8	13,307	351	4	4,350	64	12	17,657	415
South Sea Islands	26	4,656	193	25	18,057	779	51	22,713	972
Tasmania	94	52,884	1,993	.....	.....	.....	94	52,884	1,993
United States	149	197,281	3,396	28	39,257	1,474	177	236,538	4,870
Victoria	934	638,404	23,005	2	623	14	936	639,027	23,019
Whaling cruise	1	531	33	1	321	27	2	852	60
Sailing	831	504,260	10,871	138	100,118	1,833	969	604,378	12,704
Steam	1,858	1,433,568	60,961	79	142,355	8,859	1,937	1,575,923	69,820
Total	2,689	1,937,828	71,832	217	242,473	10,692	2,906	2,180,301	82,524

No. 89.—Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered—1876–87.

Year.	Number of Vessels.				Tonnage.				Crews.			
	British.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	British.	Foreign.	Colonial	Total.	British.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.
					Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.				
1876... ...	448	134	1,731	2,313	333,981	79,370	661,074	1,074,425	13,565	2,263	30,219	46,047
1877... ...	393	161	1,807	2,361	346,356	110,923	678,927	1,136,206	13,127	3,476	31,709	48,312
1878... ...	533	187	1,749	2,469	424,530	132,069	710,775	1,267,374	15,039	3,813	31,487	50,339
1879... ...	506	169	1,716	2,391	407,535	118,570	742,272	1,268,377	15,008	3,852	32,281	51,141
1880... ...	377	116	1,615	2,108	388,661	84,950	768,847	1,242,458	16,637	2,880	34,507	54,024
1881... ...	483	145	1,626	2,254	533,740	113,107	809,392	1,456,239	19,276	3,283	36,096	58,655
1882... ...	627	207	1,603	2,437	668,990	162,842	854,788	1,686,620	22,174	3,819	35,940	61,933
1883... ...	657	238	1,692	2,587	696,080	233,695	1,005,414	1,935,189	24,023	9,204	41,275	74,502
1884... ...	751	247	1,937	2,935	860,968	240,213	1,183,336	2,284,517	30,759	8,850	47,662	87,271
1885... ...	584	271	1,746	2,601	766,292	270,156	1,051,859	2,088,307	26,001	9,755	42,165	77,941
1886... ...	557	252	1,875	2,684	740,449	248,411	1,125,758	2,114,618	25,160	9,858	42,960	77,978
1887... ...	566	220	2,029	2,815	783,907	243,758	1,114,792	2,142,457	27,217	10,793	43,738	81,748

No. 90.—Tonnage of Vessels Entered and Cleared with Cargoes and in Ballast at all Ports in New South Wales from and to places outside the Colony—1872-87.

Yea	Entered.			Cleared.			Entered and Cleared.		
	Cargoes.	Ballast.	Total.	Cargoes.	Ballast.	Total.	Cargoes.	Ballast.	Total.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1872	506,108	268,382	774,490	806,225	7,325	813,550	1,312,333	275,707	1,588,040
1873	559,350	315,454	874,804	878,018	9,656	887,674	1,437,368	325,110	1,762,478
1874	662,963	353,406	1,016,369	968,180	6,345	974,525	1,631,143	359,751	1,990,894
1875	788,165	320,921	1,109,086	1,046,271	12,830	1,059,101	1,834,436	333,751	2,168,187
1876	811,472	262,953	1,074,425	1,035,444	17,856	1,053,300	1,846,916	280,809	2,127,725
1877	840,637	295,569	1,136,206	1,093,382	8,393	1,101,775	1,934,019	303,962	2,237,981
1878	912,457	354,917	1,267,374	1,179,015	13,115	1,192,130	2,091,472	368,032	2,459,504
1879	930,681	337,696	1,268,377	1,252,455	19,892	1,272,347	2,183,136	357,588	2,540,724
1880	1,024,695	217,763	1,242,458	1,174,102	16,219	1,190,321	2,198,797	233,982	2,432,779
1881	1,184,896	217,343	1,456,239	1,325,082	5,179	1,330,261	2,509,978	220,522	2,786,500
1882	1 361,140	325,480	1,686,620	1,586,707	23,338	1,610,045	2,947,847	348,818	3,296,665
1883	1,550,544	384,645	1,935,189	2,043,193	27,855	2,071,048	3,593,737	412,500	4,006,237
1884	1,888,527	395,990	2,284,517	2,315,984	60,457	2,376,441	4,204,511	456,447	4,660,958
1885	1,742,941	345,366	2,088,307	1,991,389	53,381	2,044,770	3,734,330	398,747	4,133,077
1886	1,760,649	353,969	2,114,618	2,103,351	40,635	2,143,986	3,864,000	394,604	4,258,604
1887	1,635,280	507,177	2,142,457	2,143,867	36,434	2,180,301	3,779,147	543,611	4,322,758

No. 91.—Tonnage of Vessels (sailing and steam) Entered and Cleared with from and to places

Year.	Sydney.		Newcastle.		Grafton.		Tweed River.		Richmond River.	
	Entered.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.
1872 ...	418,164	360,735	342,514	427,845	4,251	6,977	628	735	5,050	4,122
1873 ...	474,203	367,351	389,121	498,468	2,162	4,141	1,159	1,195	6,172	5,619
1874 ...	499,326	422,693	510,291	543,693	1,428	3,184	867	741	4,457	4,214
1875 ...	590,700	468,423	510,902	573,626	2,180	4,004	1,491	1,365	3,813	3,790
1876 ...	635,269	502,866	433,423	535,738	703	3,451	1,448	1,363	2,138	2,142
1877 ...	662,217	511,623	469,349	577,676	1,452	2,896	1,157	1,008	2,031	615
1878 ...	712,303	511,801	542,745	665,885	892	1,751	1,405	1,405	1,657	634
1879 ...	759,980	581,694	492,163	651,501	278	1,266	882	922	1,162	615
1880 ...	827,738	641,996	400,598	516,480	90	477	902	902	766	585
1881 ...	955,531	655,161	481,695	645,543	...	357	2,746	2,746	630	172
1882 ...	1,101,756	844,677	559,228	737,772	199	310	4,169	3,970	...	...
1883 ...	1,260,595	1,115,411	656,916	926,956	202	469	3,477	3,368	...	...
1884 ...	1,554,118	1,277,843	708,449	1,066,462	585	1,685	3,548	3,150	...	...
1885 ...	1,608,169	1,283,888	452,946	722,865	1,420	3,966	4,320	4,320	...	...
1886 ...	1,638,802	1,399,545	416,518	686,179	4,088	6,260	3,506	3,578	...	...
1887 ...	1,483,045	1,303,488	566,702	780,586	2,271	3,458	2,961	3,013	...	1,588

NOTE.—The totals of years prior to 1886 do

No. 92.—Number and Tonnage of

Year.	From Great Britain.		From British Colonies.									
			Victoria.		South Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Western Australia.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
1876	120	128,523	811	394,545	228	84,612	105	32,944	397	166,462	1	89
1877	151	170,349	891	443,076	168	70,116	118	31,736	361	150,194	...	.....
1878	145	173,708	903	486,985	179	88,219	135	37,104	436	176,334	...	.....
1879	143	183,590	843	466,983	182	80,657	116	35,109	428	180,867	...	.....
1880	148	211,372	743	460,851	171	85,702	124	45,274	289	123,344	1	181
1881	207	299,220	794	530,278	169	102,966	128	43,762	269	110,928	...	.....
1882	257	374,299	731	561,660	201	124,081	161	65,243	314	131,380	1	277
1883	240	370,877	803	654,675	179	131,659	164	68,299	284	141,640	...	.....
1884	258	409,630	750	646,596	205	153,930	169	85,815	384	196,027	4	2,449
1885	259	432,144	707	585,004	168	126,668	139	82,932	313	172,018	4	1,965
1886	238	395,063	906	701,893	280	130,103	122	67,005	239	135,410	13	7,190
1887	209	360,171	1037	780,060	327	154,202	128	71,161	240	142,372	19	8,293

Cargoes and in Ballast at each of the Principal Ports of New South Wales, beyond the Colony, 1872-87.

Eden.		Wollongong.		Other Ports on Seaboard.		Murray River Ports.		Darling River Ports.		Total.		Year.
Entd.	Cleared.	Entd.	Cleared.	Entd.	Cleared.	Entd.	Cleared.	Entd.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.	
3,883	13,136	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	774,490	813,550	1872
1,987	10,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	874,804	887,674	1873
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,016,369	974,525	1874
...	7,893	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,109,086	1,059,101	1875
1,444	7,740	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,074,425	1,053,300	1876
...	7,957	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,136,206	1,101,775	1877
532	8,731	7,840	11,923	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,267,374	1,192,130	1878
1,128	18,609	12,784	17,740	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,268,377	1,273,347	1879
6,771	18,156	5,593	11,725	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,242,458	1,190,321	1880
7,727	19,550	7,910	6,732	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,456,239	1,330,261	1881
18,237	16,173	3,031	7,143	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,686,620	1,610,045	1882
9,112	16,678	4,887	8,166	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,935,189	2,071,048	1883
14,475	15,192	3,342	12,109	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,284,517	2,376,441	1884
14,674	14,405	6,450	14,998	328	328	...	...	...	...	2,088,307	2,044,770	1885
...	...	7,506	10,396	1,400	2,166	17,432	9,688	25,366	26,174	2,114,618	2,143,986	1886
10,840	17,098	6,613	13,106	4,163	5,186	30,470	17,386	35,392	35,392	2,142,457	2,180,301	1887

not include Murray and Darling River trade.

Vessels entered Inwards—1876-87.

Queensland.		Other British Possessions.		From South Sea Islands.		From Fisheries.		From United States of America.		From other Foreign States.		Total.		Year.
No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	
404	134,667	79	42,234	40	9,760	1	411	27	41,781	100	38,397	2,313	1,074,425	1876
428	139,198	37	20,984	42	11,844	1	286	35	43,701	129	54,723	2,361	1,136,206	1877
407	142,327	55	38,167	31	9,349	...	...	46	58,479	122	56,702	2,469	1,267,374	1878
385	141,568	60	41,829	43	8,039	...	...	43	52,366	148	77,369	2,391	1,268,377	1879
376	144,623	67	46,238	40	6,894	...	...	31	41,673	118	76,306	2,108	1,242,458	1880
370	151,224	56	49,406	65	18,911	...	...	36	49,364	160	100,180	2,254	1,456,239	1881
438	187,497	87	71,025	32	5,152	1	315	61	68,334	153	97,357	2,437	1,686,620	1882
574	261,911	95	81,757	25	3,792	1	237	63	68,608	159	151,734	2,587	1,935,189	1883
735	382,415	153	144,609	28	7,049	2	629	85	90,246	162	165,122	2,935	2,284,517	1884
607	306,211	118	108,890	37	6,844	...	...	92	91,608	157	174,023	2,601	2,088,307	1885
542	318,102	101	98,420	33	10,248	...	...	91	98,278	119	152,906	2,684	2,114,618	1886
546	274,862	113	131,457	34	17,102	1	321	57	64,219	104	138,237	2,815	2,142,457	1887

No. 93.—Tonnage of Sailing and Steam Vessels of each Nation

Nation.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
British	271,625	339,608	369,652	333,981	346,356	424,530	407,535
British Possessions ...	530,448	586,697	654,220	661,074	678,927	710,775	742,272
United States ...	32,291	43,696	45,134	49,222	70,888	86,593	74,077
German	13,000	10,240	9,291	10,995	9,783	10,708	8,884
French	18,081	18,040	14,182	13,199	12,867	14,395	11,873
Norwegian	1,664	2,370	1,337	649	3,539	3,432	2,058
Dutch...	3,267	8,971	7,147	1,422	7,949	10,914	11,714
Italian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	973	2,223
Swedish	577	1,509	2,492	1,620	3,511	1,667	3,209
Austrian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chilian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Russian	.....	.....	1,677	794	.....	836	1,022
Portuguese	.....	.....	632	.....	632	632	.....
South Sea Islands ...	549	405	270	405	135	.....	.....
Other Nations ...	3,302	4,883	3,052	1,053	1,619	1,601	3,510
Total Tons ...	874,804	1,016,369	1,109,086	1,074,425	1,136,206	1,267,374	1,268,377

No. 94.—Number and Tonnage of

Year.	To Great Britain.		To British Colonies.									
			Victoria.		South Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Western Australia.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
1876	45	54,389	678	303,376	218	81,586	115	33,003	375	142,595	2	784
1877	50	63,214	734	328,238	185	62,862	113	32,826	357	149,028	2	462
1878	47	70,738	733	348,076	188	70,171	141	43,485	405	163,176	1	783
1879	68	99,276	711	371,772	200	75,177	144	49,497	387	157,575	5	1,277
1880	98	154,091	625	365,348	187	87,114	117	48,603	287	127,105	6	1,881
1881	94	160,658	590	372,110	150	81,325	125	49,826	284	127,003	2	618
1882	108	195,082	567	423,704	188	102,961	149	63,144	305	156,150	9	3,015
1883	130	222,296	725	583,158	164	105,856	153	71,877	308	186,342	11	4,047
1884	132	251,304	709	618,973	232	163,333	185	95,380	408	239,227	27	11,660
1885	120	232,522	624	502,441	167	114,480	112	60,656	309	158,732	17	8,743
1886	112	224,750	826	612,455	237	89,966	81	41,736	282	150,703	21	7,985
1887	122	242,891	936	639,027	333	136,194	94	152,884	252	145,977	26	8,592

Entered at Ports in New South Wales with Cargoes and in Ballast—1873-87.

1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	Nation.
Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
388,661	533,740	668,990	696,080	860,968	766,292	740,449	783,907	British.
768,847	809,392	854,788	1,005,414	1,183,336	1,051,859	1,125,758	1,114,792	British Possessions.
49,693	72,005	73,183	76,315	78,678	92,197	79,321	46,014	United States.
19,995	14,441	51,756	43,293	45,051	47,828	45,550	68,820	German.
7,196	13,747	15,758	91,821	86,083	91,166	81,940	82,775	French.
600	1,658	8,961	13,184	15,689	25,057	26,400	27,518	Norwegian.
9,603	7,256	1,359	2,620	.....	729	.....	3,007	Dutch.
800	.....	.....	.....	4,015	1,655	749	.....	Italian.
630	1,163	4,182	1,923	2,742	4,908	5,319	5,164	Swedish.
.....	.....	2,305	2,623	1,453	1,098	1,751	2,361	Austrian.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,184	2,825	.....	Chilian.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	871	.....	.....	Russian.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Portuguese.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	South Sea Islands.
3,433	2,837	5,338	1,916	6,502	1,463	4,526	8,099	Other Nations.
1,242,458	1,456,239	1,686,620	1,935,189	2,284,517	2,088,307	2,114,618	2,142,457	

Vessels Entered Outwards—1876-87.

Queensland.		Other British Possessions.		To South Sea Islands.		To Fisheries.		To United States of America.		To other Foreign States.		Total.		Year.
No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	
329	113,195	197	113,445	47	33,288	1	286	112	115,485	146	61,868	2,265	1,053,300	1876
361	118,677	141	106,275	51	13,671	2	350	86	107,103	219	119,069	2,301	1,101,775	1877
348	113,018	174	124,781	57	17,900	...	...	103	127,235	190	112,767	2,387	1,192,130	1878
333	123,011	121	100,980	58	15,103	...	...	101	121,076	268	157,603	2,396	1,272,347	1879
319	125,620	129	77,968	49	9,760	...	...	64	84,961	162	107,870	2,043	1,190,321	1880
356	136,014	123	118,905	72	23,546	...	...	116	145,813	191	114,443	2,103	1,330,261	1881
425	161,413	167	148,915	41	9,090	...	...	120	167,821	261	178,750	2,340	1,610,045	1882
565	221,138	197	183,671	50	14,149	2	551	144	182,448	325	295,515	2,774	2,071,048	1883
609	301,027	225	221,936	56	21,218	1	314	139	182,453	287	269,616	3,010	2,376,441	1884
545	259,432	213	224,607	39	9,836	...	...	141	188,370	296	284,951	2,583	2,044,770	1885
507	298,620	193	189,771	38	13,183	...	...	205	265,970	253	248,847	2,755	2,143,986	1886
490	240,409	164	168,243	51	22,713	2	852	177	236,538	259	275,981	2,906	2,180,301	188 7

No. 95.—Tonnage of Sailing and Steam Vessels of each Nation Cleared

Nation.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
British	259,481	332,222	367,317	341,663	343,992	391,725	403,280
British Possessions ...	557,299	555,466	606,738	632,739	653,453	676,461	739,646
United States ...	28,300	42,720	44,236	51,752	68,575	77,286	78,467
German	14,405	8,810	9,145	10,160	9,776	9,912	10,242
French	2,549	17,478	14,381	12,613	10,719	13,540	12,152
Norwegian	1,664	1,882	1,817	660	1,670	5,891	2,274
Dutch...	2,608	10,400	8,862	330	6,894	11,944	11,809
Italian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	973	2,223
Swedish	577	1,509	1,880	1,619	3,512	1,551	4,780
Austrian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chilian	.....	.....	798	.....	.....	.....	.....
Russian	.....	.....	842	794	.....	836	1,712
Portuguese	.....	.....	632	.....	632	632	.....
South Sea Islands ...	549	405	135	270	135	.....	.....
Other Nations ...	2,242	3,633	2,318	711	2,417	1,379	5,762
Total Tons ...	887,674	974,525	1,059,101	1,053,300	1,101,775	1,192,130	1,272,347

No. 96.—Average Tonnage and Crews of Vessels Inwards—1877-87.

Year.	Average Tonnage of Vessels.			Average Crews of Vessels.		
	British.	Foreign.	Colonial.	British.	Foreign.	Colonial.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.			
1877	881	689	376	33	21	18
1878	796	706	406	28	20	18
1879	805	701	433	30	23	19
1880	1,031	732	476	44	25	21
1881	1,105	780	498	40	23	22
1882	1,067	787	533	35	18	22
1883	1,060	982	594	37	38	24
1884	1,146	973	611	41	36	25
1885	1,312	997	602	44	36	24
1886	1,329	986	600	45	39	23
1887	1,385	1,108	549	48	49	22

at Ports in New South Wales with Cargo and in Ballast—1873-87.

1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	Nation.
Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
372,027	486,828	632,357	733,645	855,287	753,799	763,472	815,284	British.
730,389	734,039	821,621	1,097,816	1,285,958	1,043,632	1,117,046	1,122,544	British Possessions.
50,865	67,743	70,041	75,967	80,112	76,993	85,231	48,984	United States.
15,089	15,453	52,649	50,729	42,656	43,890	47,758	66,823	German.
7,020	14,045	13,275	87,158	86,817	86,347	85,289	83,083	French.
600	850	9,460	14,669	14,502	26,677	28,690	25,111	Norwegian.
10,231	8,022	2,029	2,620	.....	729	.....	2,210	Dutch.
799	.....	.....	.....	1,655	1,655	749	.....	Italian.
630	1,319	3,053	4,122	1,273	5,175	6,523	12,648	Swedish.
.....	.....	2,269	3,435	2,799	1,098	1,751	2,361	Austrian.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,813	2,297	2,951	.....	Chilian.
.....	.....	1,025	586	.....	871	.....	.....	Russian.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	.....	.....	Portuguese.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	South Sea Islands.
2,671	1,962	4,266	283	3,567	1,563	4,526	1,253	Other Nations.
1,190,321	1,330,261	1,610,045	2,071,048	2,376,441	2,044,770	2,143,986	2,180,301	

No. 97.—Vessels, registered in various Ports of Australia, Tasmania, and New Zealand, Lost on the Coast of New South Wales, from 1880-87.

Year.	Under 50 tons.	50 to 100.	100 to 200.	200 to 300.	300 to 400.	400 to 500.	Over 500 tons.	Total.
1880	7	2	3	.....	.....	.....	2	14
1881	6	1	1	3	1	.....	1	13
1882	5	4	2	1	1	1	1	15
1883	2	6	3	1	.....	.....	.....	12
1884	6	3	1	.....	.....	.....	1	11
1885	3	4	1	1	1	.....	1	11
1886	6	5	7	1	1	.....	3	23
1887	4	5	2	1	.....	.....	1	13

No. 98.—Vessels Registered in

Year.	Barquentines.			Barques.			Brigs.			Brigantines.			Cutters.			Ketches.			Lighters.		
	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.
1876	...	...	...	11	5,101	123	3	703	23	2	255	12	1	20	3	8	344	26	...	...	...
1877	...	...	...	6	1,830	58	4	773	30	5	657	32	5	140	14	21	810	70	...	...	...
1878	...	...	...	9	3,610	108	...	...	...	4	511	26	6	168	19	18	576	55	...	...	...
1879	...	...	...	5	2,272	48	1	173	9	5	673	38	1	11	2	15	729	60	...	...	...
1880	...	...	...	5	1,755	50	3	710	32	6	967	49	4	126	10	13	560	51	...	...	...
1881	...	...	...	10	6,656	140	3	654	21	4	521	21	3	139	10	8	410	29	...	...	...
1882	1	195	6	7	4,041	98	3	831	34	7	1,027	56	3	88	11	8	345	33	1	185	3
1883	1	175	6	8	3,546	80	2	379	15	4	714	34	3	78	7	10	539	46	...	...	...
1884	3	942	32	10	4,329	131	1	249	7	4	728	36	3	66	8	16	872	79	4	364	17
1885	...	...	...	4	1,510	40	1	284	11	3	501	30	3	31	5	13	722	60	1	25	2
1886	...	...	...	3	2,048	24	2	406	13	4	716	25	1	49	3	4	201	8	6	397	10
1887	...	...	...	9	4,197	98	1	258	7	4	545	27	...	...	...	6	264	17	...	...	...

No. 99.—Vessels built in

Year.	Barquentines.		Brigantines.		Cutters.		Ketches.		Lighters.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
1876	1	309	2	255	...	.....	5	196	...	.....
1877	...	.....	4	473	3	101	15	616	...	.....
1878	1	598	1	98	...	.....	12	425	...	.....
1879	...	.....	2	198	...	.....	11	536	...	.....
1880	...	.....	2	277	3	104	9	392	...	.....
1881	...	.....	...	.....	3	139	3	194	...	.....
1882	1	76	....	.....	3	88	5	191	...	.....
1883	1	175	...	.....	3	78	4	225	...	.....
1884	1	245	....	.....	3	66	11	664	4	364
1885	...	.....	1	102	2	25	9	467	1	25
1886	...	.....	....	.....	1	49	3	165	6	397
1887	...	.....	1	95	...	.....	4	195	...	.....

the Colony, 1876–87.

Luggers.			Schooners.			Ships.			Sloops and Yawls.			Steamers.			Total No.	Total Tons.	Total Men.	Year.
No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.				
12	114	38	26	2,262	138	1	724	14	...	...	...	31	2,997	193	95	12,520	570	1876
2	14	6	24	2,240	123	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	5,131	262	103	11,595	595	1877
1	8	3	17	2,238	108	...	...	...	..	...	...	41	5,392	278	96	12,503	597	1878
6	96	13	21	1,916	111	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	3,561	291	90	9,431	572	1879
6	110	12	16	1,638	98	1	1,137	23	...	...	...	20	2,159	168	74	9,162	493	1880
5	46	10	18	1,874	97	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	2,713	115	74	13,013	443	1881
28	364	45	22	1,819	133	5	5,246	86	2	105	6	41	7,764	509	128	22,010	1,020	1882
30	352	60	22	1,663	121	3	3,120	51	...	...	...	72	9,406	575	155	19,972	995	1883
9	109	18	26	2,372	164	1	819	15	...	...	...	84	11,484	707	161	22,334	1,214	1884
4	55	10	20	1,748	122	...	...	...	..	...	...	50	6,387	394	99	11,263	674	1885
9	84	13	15	1,094	63	1	974	7	...	...	...	47	3,489	235	92	9,458	401	1886
5	47	10	11	1,242	60	2	2,575	36	1	10	3	36	10,303	603	75	19,441	861	1887

the Colony, 1876–87.

Luggers.		Schooners.		Sloops and Yawls.		Steamers.		Total Vessels.	Total Tonnage.	Year.
No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.			
12	114	18	1,192	...	.....	22	1,399	60	3,465	1876
2	14	10	791	...	.....	27	2,515	61	4,510	1877
1	8	8	653	...	.....	26	1,660	49	3,442	1878
6	96	12	708	...	.....	19	797	50	2,335	1879
4	32	11	1,133	...	.....	12	861	41	2,799	1880
5	46	5	363	...	.....	15	765	31	1,507	1881
17	219	13	779	2	105	24	3,276	65	4,734	1882
30	352	12	1,055	...	.....	52	5,368	102	7,253	1883
9	109	11	1,070	...	.....	64	5,145	103	7,663	1884
3	42	13	139	...	.....	36	2,992	65	3,792	1885
8	76	9	643	...	.....	40	2,637	67	3,976	1886
5	47	3	289	1	10	16	778	30	1,414	1887

No. 100.—Revenue Collected by the

Particulars of Receipt.		1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
		£	£	£	£	£
Wines and Spirits	Duty	586,640	557,062	641,910	709,832	745,391
	Excise	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ale and Beer	Duty	33,864	37,747	31,567	34,579	41,574
	Excise	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tobacco	Duty	108,928	93,159	97,396	126,827	128,658
	Excise	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tea		63,259	83,793	74,042	86,212	87,829
Coffee and Chicory		9,355	9,037	10,983	10,610	10,850
Sugar		67,748	69,327	60,055	50,949	49,234
Methylated Spirits		1,150	1,038	1,102	1,340	1,673
Opium		9,349	10,514	10,940	13,068	12,960
Rice		11,325	13,585	10,300	15,069	15,224
Malt and Hops		13,710	13,281	13,390	15,753	18,939
Dried Fruits		39,108	32,995	37,687	59,164	52,843
Specific Duties		174,742	167,770	176,162	244,345	280,015
Pilotage		17,776	18,005	14,462	20,463	26,455
Harbour and Lights Rates		10,352	9,960	8,197	10,330	13,553
Removal Dues		3,024	2,997	2,022	2,698	4,034
Tonnage and Wharfage Rates		.....	.....	6,974	14,177	8,909
Tax on Chinese		.....	.....	.....	960	8,520
Bonded Warehouse License Fees		5,907	6,247	6,097	7,031	6,350
Miscellaneous Receipts		1,650	733	630	757	1,251
Ad Valorem Duties		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ..... £		1,157,792	1,127,250	1,203,916	1,424,165	1,514,263

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1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	Particulars of Receipt.
£	£	£	£	£	
768,692	797,420	778,000	746,224	805,089	Duty } Wines and Spirits.
.....	10,625	8,545	5,846	10,754	Excise }
46,972	53,209	61,202	69,097	69,213	Duty } Ale and Beer.
.....	.....	.....	.....	63,565	Excise }
128,894	207,037	267,804	269,065	181,439	Duty } Tobacco.
.....	68,400	107,521	102,879	128,829	Excise }
75,719	100,053	98,915	105,979	106,815	Tea.
10,638	13,406	13,543	13,188	13,127	Coffee and Chicory.
54,175	153,894	144,449	125,859	134,914	Sugar.
1,776	1,980	2,116	2,407	3,281	Methylated Spirits.
14,135	20,413	23,075	22,148	21,683	Opium.
13,855	17,193	15,835	17,533	18,478	Rice.
17,266	18,304	20,409	30,366	13,424	Malt and Hops.
52,284	63,220	55,400	52,163	57,079	Dried Fruits.
266,580	336,119	380,673	429,157	351,300	Specific Duties.
30,508	32,124	31,739	31,716	28,628	Pilotage.
14,599	16,249	16,389	15,610	14,676	Harbour and Lights Rates.
4,377	4,319	4,290	4,703	4,297	Removal Dues.
7,096	7,895	7,396	6,973	7,059	Tonnage and Wharfage Rates.
12,200	10,740	10,600	12,840	17,980	Tax on Chinese.
6,565	6,961	7,164	8,662	8,766	Bonded Warehouse License Fees.
1,532	5,162	4,722	5,383	4,338	Miscellaneous Receipts.
.....	.....	.....	277,227	226,743	*Ad Valorem* Duties.
1,527,863	1,876,191	1,952,265	2,250,975	2,291,477	

PART IV.—MILLS AND MANUFACTORIES.

No. 101.—Manufactories in each Electorate with Number of Hands Employed for the years 1886-7 and 1887-8, and the Power and Value of Plant, &c., for 1887-8.

Electorates.	1886-7.				1887-8.					
	Number of Works, &c.	Hands Employed.			Number of Works, &c.	Hands Employed.			Approximate power of Plant or Machinery.	Approximate value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.		
									Horse-power.	£
METROPOLITAN.										
Balmain	91	1,243	10	1,253	93	1,425	36	1,461	881	368,825
Canterbury	156	1,413	27	1,440	151	1,368	20	1,388	852	248,367
Glebe	49	429	51	480	36	424	8	432	235	66,840
Newtown	112	1,268	56	1,324	101	1,259	51	1,310	534	127,580
Paddington	46	517	7	524	62	753	7	760	240	52,060
Redfern	170	2,758	223	2,981	177	2,532	317	2,849	1,248	224,925
St. Leonards	60	595	...	595	67	620	...	620	371	141,600
East Sydney	309	5,270	1,627	6,907	291	4,562	1,617	6,179	941	405,259
South Sydney	113	2,899	168	3,067	117	1,817	957	2,774	686	777,006
West Sydney	357	6,969	832	7,801	339	7,504	113	7,617	2,988	782,789
Total Metropolitan...	1,463	23,361	3,001	26,362	1,434	22,264	3,126	25,390	8,976	3,195,251
COUNTRY.										
Albury	39	269	1	270	35	231	...	231	176	24,785
Argyle	35	237	...	237	36	269	10	297	167	15,895
Balranald	23	168	...	168	22	160	...	160	85	26,750
Bathurst	37	317	6	323	44	364	25	389	297	46,630
Bogan	38	215	2	217	46	285	1	286	234	28,428
Boorowa...	11	33	...	33	8	32	...	32	63	8,395
Bourke	34	822	2	824	32	314	...	314	168	49,699
Braidwood	23	100	...	100	25	114	1	115	77	8,432
Camden	46	601	4	605	42	595	7	602	645	52,340
Carcoar	16	90	...	90	22	227	...	227	223	22,475
Clarence...	46	752	4	756	53	1,091	2	1,093	1,165	83,900
Central Cumberland ...	111	1,836	33	1,869	81	1,712	26	1,738	2,287	382,734
Durham...	37	127	8	135	25	105	6	111	105	10,420
Eden	186	889	223	1,112	205	892	251	1,143	667	71,703
Forbes	32	122	...	122	21	120	...	120	181	40,210
Glen Innes	30	170	...	170	15	81	...	81	100	16,930
Gloucester	19	241	...	241	19	145	2	147	244	23,222
Goulburn	50	594	28	622	62	682	77	759	500	61,897
Grafton	50	386	3	389	35	386	4	390	186	43,570
Grenfell...	18	46	...	46	22	83	...	83	142	9,120
Gundagai	32	109	3	112	23	90	...	90	86	10,625
Gunnedah	19	103	...	103	17	96	...	96	252	17,620

No. 101—*continued.*

Electorates.	1885.				1886.					
	Number of Works, &c.	Hands Employed.			Number of Works, &c.	Hands Employed.			Approximate power of Plant or Machinery.	Approximate value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.		
COUNTRY.									Horse-power.	£
Gwydir	17	79	...	79	14	66	2	68	77	6,950
Hartley	30	442	15	457	26	390	15	405	434	50,800
Hastings and Manning...	36	427	...	427	29	311	...	311	401	41,077
Hawkesbury	52	252	...	252	30	163	1	164	102	10,370
Hume	26	146	...	146	25	149	...	149	132	16,433
Hunter	11	48	11	59	11	66	...	66	503	9,720
Upper Hunter	29	55	...	55	19	48	...	48	130	9,460
Illawarra	36	360	1	361	26	197	...	197	232	25,305
Inverell	17	55	...	55	20	89	...	89	116	7,761
Kiama	20	227	...	227	35	341	...	341	172	67,060
Macleay...	28	241	1	242	27	263	3	266	77	40,735
East Macquarie ...	8	39	...	39	10	250	...	250	117	57,400
West Macquarie ...	2	24	1	25	4	4	...	4	16	2,800
East Maitland	23	241	...	241	24	234	...	234	149	18,469
West Maitland	55	455	2	457	42	410	...	410	218	97,670
Molong	14	40	...	40	12	31	...	31	117	8,670
Monaro	34	179	5	184	28	95	1	96	119	11,378
Morpeth...	6	76	...	76	5	56	1	57	30	5,100
Mudgee	33	167	4	171	30	176	4	180	230	58,423
Murray	29	214	5	219	31	283	3	286	259	45,500
Murrumbidgee	56	456	29	485	53	451	...	451	490	110,140
Namoi	23	89	...	89	23	110	1	111	141	13,980
Nepean	63	263	5	268	56	320	...	320	270	14,940
Newcastle	70	1,340	45	1,385	51	1,059	88	1,147	359	157,889
New England	50	274	12	286	55	348	10	358	358	88,300
Northumberland ...	44	406	...	406	45	385	...	385	390	53,205
Orange	33	219	4	223	41	268	4	272	260	50,380
Parramatta	33	325	1	326	27	271	2	273	119	49,600
Patrick's Plains... ...	23	63	...	63	18	93	...	93	74	23,200
Queanbeyan	20	114	4	118	15	53	4	57	106	9,890
Richmond	95	1,937	12	1,949	87	1,888	4	1,892	1,729	170,575
Shoalhaven	63	301	24	325	80	351	34	385	208	21,546
Tamworth	49	257	...	257	39	261	1	262	194	27,720
Tenterfield	30	108	...	108	25	115	...	115	122	10,840
Tumut	14	45	...	45	16	50	...	50	72	4,650
Wellington	13	73	...	73	13	82	1	83	88	14,310
Wentworth	30	239	...	239	22	194	...	194	86	26,945
Wollombi	22	137	...	137	20	100	...	100	159	9,050
Yass Plains	22	118	3	121	18	74	7	81	58	13,680
Young	40	160	2	162	33	203	...	203	212	27,430
Total Country ...	2,231	18,928	493	19,421	2,074	18,372	598	18,970	17,176	2,545,131
General Total ...	3,694	42,289	3,494	45,783	3,508	40,636	3,724	44,360	26,152	5,740,382

No. 102.—Manufactories of each kind, with the Number of Hands, Power, and Value of Plant employed in the year 1887–88.

Description of Manufactory or Work.	Number of Works.	Hands employed.			Power of Plant or Machinery.	Value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
					Horse-power.	£
Agricultural and Dairy Implements.....	36	204	.....	204	88	14,770
Raw Material, the Production of Pastoral Pursuits—						
Boiling-down and Glue	32	121	.....	121	104	13,675
Bone-dust and Manure	14	41	.....	41	118	13,060
Grease	2	11	.....	11	4	500
Tanneries	110	687	2	689	395	58,056
Wool-pressing	6	114	.....	114	249	42,900
Wool-washing and Fellmongering ...	67	1,252	.....	1,252	690	93,830
	231	2,226	2	2,228	1,560	222,421
Connected with Food and Drink or the Preparation thereof—						
Aerated Waters...	224	1,103	4	1,107	397	127,255
Beer, Ale, Stout (including Bottling Works)	75	804	.....	804	715	164,898
Bread and Biscuits (Steam)	7	257	91	348	59	49,920
Butter and Cheese	205	767	298	1,065	222	28,864
Coffee and Spice	7	124	7	131	86	17,000
Condiments	4	29	8	37	8	1,170
Confectionery (Wholesale)	23	298	80	378	71	22,820
Flour	128	591	8	599	2,781	336,800
Fruit-canning	3	75	80	155	16	3,400
Ice and Refrigerating	11	231	25	256	305	59,850
Jam	5	177	16	193	16	6,300
Maizena and Oatmeal	3	23	7	30	58	9,000
Meat-curing	9	31	.....	31	15	1,755
Meat-preserving...	6	479	.....	479	360	30,550
Self-raising Flour and Baking Powder..	4	25	1	26	3	1,200
Sugar (Refined)	1	200	.....	200	200	50,000
Sugar (Raw)	78	2,645	1	2,646	2,236	195,300
Spirits (Rum)	1	20	.....	20	30	6,100
Vinegar	3	38	.....	38	5	800
	797	7,917	626	8,543	7,583	1,112,982

No. 102—*continued.*

Description of Manufactory or Work.	Number of Works.	Hands employed.			Power of Plant or Machinery.	Value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
					Horse-power.	£
Clothing and Textile Fabrics—						
Boots and Shoes	60	1,837	436	2,273	151	41,855
Clothing	65	1,079	1,826	2,905	1	6,485
Furriers	2	5	1	6	.....	600
Hats and Caps	15	101	46	147	.....	2,315
Oil-skin Clothing	2	10	30	40	.....	50
Shirts	2	1	25	26	.....	.....
Woollen Cloth	5	101	71	172	140	25,000
	151	3,134	2,435	5,569	292	76,305
Building Materials—						
Bricks	282	2,230	.....	2,230	1,237	177,554
Joinery	75	980	.....	980	665	79,379
Lime	31	239	.....	239	78	11,895
Modelling and Patterns	13	108	.....	108	.....	2,380
Monumental	37	221	.....	221	16	4,715
Paint and Varnish	5	38	2	40	39	5,940
Pottery	17	244	1	245	120	15,500
Saw-mills	322	3,252	2	3,254	4,894	394,485
Stone-crushing	11	312	.....	312	238	63,700
Stone-dressing	2	35	.....	35	42	7,500
Stone Quarries	49	624	.....	624	18	19,152
	844	8,283	5	8,288	7,347	782,200
Metal Works, &c.—						
Galvanized Iron and Plumbing ..	40	467	.....	467	29	20,380
Iron and Brass Foundries	86	1,013	.....	1,013	549	125,450
Ironworkers (other)	24	652	.....	652	172	32,580
Machinery and Engineering	69	2,212	.....	2,212	1,962	421,770
Railway Workshops and Carriage Factories	11	1,286	.....	1,286	390	708,606
Smelting Pyrites, Cobalt, &c.	15	560	.....	560	252	142,461
Tinware	43	269	.....	269	1	8,780
Wire	7	135	.....	135	23	29,180
	295	6,594	.....	6,594	3,478	1,489,207
Ship Building, Repairing, &c.—						
Dry Docks, Floating Docks, and Slips...	11	204	.....	204	265	285,600
Masts and Blocks	2	6	.....	6	4	150
Sails, Tarpaulins, &c.	20	96	2	98	4	4,775
Ship and Boat Building, &c.	51	483	.....	483	107	32,577
	84	789	2	791	380	323,102

No. 102—*continued.*

Description of Manufactory or Work.	Number of Works.	Hands Employed.			Power of Plant or Machinery.	Value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
					Horse-power.	£
Furniture, Bedding, &c.—						
Bedding	15	108	35	143	38	7,280
Curled Hair and Flock...	10	37	5	42	46	3,400
Furniture	101	991	20	1,011	178	31,412
Picture-frames	11	37	1	38	.....	2,330
Show-cases and Shop-fittings	2	21	.....	21	.....	350
Window-blinds	5	55	1	56	.....	240
	144	1,249	62	1,311	262	45,012
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving—						
Account Books, &c.	27	261	223	484	3	1,737
Engraving, &c.	7	34	.....	34	.....	1,385
Paper	1	42	12	54	200	26,000
Paper Bags and Boxes	3	16	45	61	4	3,600
Printing and Lithographic Printing ...	149	3,053	64	3,017	506	431,352
Printing and other Inks	2	5	.....	5	10	900
Type	2	18	.....	18	.....	1,600
	191	3,427	344	3,771	723	466,574
Gold-workers and Philosophical Instrument Makers—						
Electro-plating	2	10	.....	10	3	900
Jewellery	23	159	1	160	.....	2,575
Mint	1	24	.....	24	30	45,000
Philosophical Instruments	7	34	2	36	4	2,590
	33	227	3	230	37	51,065
Carriage Works—						
Coaches and Waggons	202	1,811	3	1,814	171	93,479
Chemical Works—						
Chemicals	4	62	11	73	47	18,700
Patent Medicines, &c.	3	8	3	11	10	1,430
	7	70	14	84	57	20,130
Glass—						
Glass	4	72	.....	72	14	11,100
Waterworks—						
Waterworks and Irrigation	18	101	1	102	1,306	196,400

No. 102—*continued.*

Description of Manufactory or Work.	Number of Works.	Hands Employed.			Power of Plant or Machinery.	Value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
					Horse-power.	£
Saddlery and Harness—						
Saddlery and Harness	76	569	2	571	.....	13,058
Whips, Saddle-trees, &c.	2	3	.....	3	8	600
	78	572	2	574	8	13,658
Paving and Asphalting—						
Asphalt, Wood, and Tar Pavement ...	9	67	.....	67	65	33,730
Miscellaneous—						
Bark-chopping	4	18	.....	18	17	695
Baskets	10	64	.....	64	.....	1,720
Brooms, Millet	4	37	2	39	.....	3,102
Brushes	5	42	2	44	.....	3,150
Chaff and Crushed Corn	135	529	.....	529	665	30,965
Coke	3	39	.....	39	30	6,000
Cooperage	12	121	.....	121	10	1,320
Dyeing	5	16	7	23	6	970
Electric Light	7	23	.....	23	123	15,200
Gas	25	1,131	.....	1,131	436	509,645
Kerosene Oil	3	299	.....	299	330	32,000
Ladders and Barrows	4	12	.....	12	.....	285
Laundries (Steam)	5	130	42	172	48	3,375
Packing Cases	6	15	.....	15	32	2,275
Ropes	8	118	.....	118	101	14,690
Saw-mills (Firewood)	68	334	.....	334	486	13,675
Soap, Candles, Soap Powder, and Soda Crystals	52	356	11	367	347	59,910
Tobacco, Cigars, &c.	13	506	156	662	117	83,650
*Others not included above	15	96	10	106	33	5,120
	384	3,886	230	4,116	2,781	788,247
General Total	3,508	40,636	3,724	44,360	26,152	5,740,382

* Where more than one kind of work is carried on in one establishment, it has frequently been found impossible to distinguish the number of hands, power, and value of plant engaged in the various industries; in such cases the total has been credited to the principal industry, hence the small number of hands, &c., included under this and some other heads.

WATERWORKS.—Sydney waterworks not included.

No. 103.—Number of some of the Principal

Name of Work or Industry.	1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.	
	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands
Agricultural and Dairy Implements.	43	372	47	221	55	254	65	285	52	246
Raw Materials, the production of Pastoral Pursuits—										
Boiling-down	38	65	37	95	51	167	48	299	47	185
Tanneries	105	708	98	708	107	755	121	831	118	1,003
Wool-washing...	115	854	118	1,089	111	985	115	946	118	1,287
Connected with Food and Drink or the preparation thereof—										
Aerated Waters	146	769	155	795	143	724	174	909	176	890
Bread and Biscuits	6	85	6	127	6	119	10	186	7	182
Breweries	43	538	45	561	45	595	50	637	56	699
Confectionery	49	454	56	477	61	349	58	365	58	364
Distilleries	2	17	2	13	2	7	1	10	20	31
Flour	165	664	161	546	150	566	159	695	166	603
Ice and Refrigerating ...	4	27	6	39	3	49	4	59	3	47
Jam	11	46	12	51	11	114	10	27	2	42
Meat, Preserved and Salted ...	19	316	19	234	17	193	14	90	14	321
Sugar, Raw and Refined	77	1,211	74	1,613	76	1,205	80	1,887	91	2,418
Clothing and Textile Fabrics—										
Boots	71	1,883	71	2,123	75	2,379	71	2,226	62	2,036
Clothing	53	2,983	50	2,125	48	1,580	53	2,072	51	686
Hats	12	69	14	107	13	85	13	71	15	76
Shirts	12	309	10	317	9	191	7	171	4	97
Woollen Cloth	9	198	9	276	8	214	7	335	8	385
Building Materials—										
Bricks	383	1,946	375	1,812	390	2,727	412	2,476	478	3,106
Joinery (Steam)	12	158	12	141	27	322	30	552	39	577
Lime	123	290	87	217	98	270	98	333	91	279
Modelling	4	24	3	19	4	26	5	35	6	59
Monumental	6	36	6	36	8	47	9	78	9	83
Pottery...	40	290	38	281	33	228	34	262	38	288
Saw-mills	228	2,077	232	2,072	243	2,458	280	2,382	334	3,013

Works with the Hands Employed, 1878–1887.

1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.		Name of Work or Industry.
Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	
69	370	73	268	83	409	49	281	36	204	Agricultural and Dairy Implements.
										Raw Materials, the production of Pastoral Pursuits—
48	198	49	245	38	281	39	172	32	121	Boiling-down.
110	854	115	796	111	788	97	627	110	689	Tanneries.
93	1,031	105	1,155	105	1,130	83	1,614	67	1,252	Wool-washing.
										Connected with Food and Drink or the preparation thereof—
175	953	206	1,043	217	1,159	243	1,107	224	1,107	Aerated Waters.
8	263	6	290	7	325	12	398	7	348	Bread and Biscuits.
59	747	60	788	70	805	74	987	75	804	Breweries.
57	415	56	414	56	416	28	387	23	378	Confectionery.
10	24	8	16	7	18	6	27	1	20	Distilleries.
154	685	161	662	159	662	133	571	128	599	Flour.
5	65	9	211	9	258	8	267	11	256	Ice and Refrigerating.
3	66	3	98	5	137	5	172	4	188	Jam.
13	303	14	432	13	369	11	294	15	510	Meat, Preserved and Salted.
93	1,499	103	2,362	98	2,858	66	2,473	79	2,846	Sugar, Raw and Refined.
										Clothing and Textile Fabrics—
61	2,125	68	2,289	55	2,105	68	2,272	60	2,273	Boots.
63	1,926	75	2,265	85	3,072	71	2,830	65	2,905	Clothing.
14	95	16	124	18	180	19	161	15	147	Hats.
3	69	3	50	4	100	2	30	2	26	Shirts.
9	372	8	312	9	323	8	182	5	172	Woollen Cloth.
										Building Materials—
448	3,002	431	3,078	449	3,617	330	2,959	282	2,230	Bricks.
49	758	48	770	53	858	92	1,174	75	980	Joinery (Steam).
81	248	75	264	77	264	33	262	31	239	Lime.
7	38	11	42	11	51	12	98	13	108	Modelling.
9	70	21	133	23	164	39	214	37	221	Monumental.
40	291	39	287	39	315	27	268	17	245	Pottery.
370	3,318	376	3,477	415	3,783	323	3,284	322	3,254	Saw-mills.

No. 103—*continued.*

Name of Work or Industry.	1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.	
	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.
Metal Works and Machinery—										
Iron, Brass, Copper, and Tin...	116	1,227	125	1,442	136	1,757	140	1,765	131	1,736
Machinery and Engineering...	48	802	41	606	48	933	58	1,201	72	1,404
Railway Workshops and Carriage Factories.	8	843	7	823	7	976	6	1,001	8	1,482
Smelting	25	488	21	552	16	1,181	14	1,517	21	1,444
Wire	3	18	2	15	4	21	2	24	2	27
Ship Building, Repairing, &c.—										
Docks and Slips	9	194	10	132	10	109	11	148	10	154
Sail-making, &c.	11	50	11	55	11	55	11	69	12	60
Ship and Boat Building ...	100	510	93	531	81	416	67	466	70	522
Furniture, Bedding, &c.—										
Bedding	29	141	21	125	26	119	25	138	26	174
Furniture	6	89	6	92	5	76	7	72	10	115
Picture Frames	12	25	13	42	14	30	12	28	13	40
Window Blinds	5	37	6	45	7	44	7	62	7	57
Books, Paper, Printing, &c.—										
Account Books, Binding, &c.	12	190	13	195	13	161	16	312	13	286
Paper	2	73	2	56	2	73	2	75	2	88
Printing	29	1,219	36	1,443	34	1,449	45	1,449	54	1,600
Miscellaneous—										
Brushes	3	36	3	44	2	43	2	34	2	36
Coaches and Waggons ...	135	1,164	151	1,224	166	1,450	173	1,578	182	1,539
Dyeing...	6	17	5	13	6	35	10	51	9	41
Gas	11	275	10	325	12	342	15	541	17	408
Kerosene Oil	2	81	2	56	2	61	2	44	2	23
Packing Cases...	3	31	6	40	6	110	6	40	7	37
Rope	5	82	4	74	4	84	6	85	6	34
Saddle and Harness	207	906	185	687	218	896	229	988	231	997
Soap, Candle, and Soap Powder	34	180	34	169	38	203	38	232	40	263
Stone Crushing	2	11	2	11	3	27	16	63	40	214
Tobacco	24	492	20	425	17	514	18	487	22	676

NOTE.—Where more than one kind of work is carried on in one establishment, it has frequently been found impossible to industry.

JOINERY.—Only establishments using steam were included in returns prior to 1886. METAL-WORKERS.—Horse-shoers
PRINTING.—All establishments are included in 1886 and 1887. SADDLERS.—Manufacturing establishments only returned
For totals, see Table No. 118.

No. 103—*continued.*

1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.		Name of Work or Industry.
Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	
										Metal Works and Machinery—
140	1,785	160	1,768	174	1,838	167	2,178	86	1,013	Iron, Brass, Copper, and Tin.
70	1,440	78	1,729	86	1,875	75	2,197	69	2,212	Machinery and Engineering.
7	1,594	8	2,141	9	2,171	6	1,736	11	1,286	Railway Workshops and Carriage Factories.
12	1,729	14	1,013	25	783	12	726	15	560	Smelting.
3	27	4	31	9	142	11	101	7	135	Wire.
										Ship Building, Repairing, &c.—
14	194	17	352	15	284	13	232	11	204	Docks and Slips.
10	51	14	58	16	61	12	87	20	98	Sail-making, &c.
68	548	74	1,004	74	890	67	733	51	483	Ship and Boat Building.
										Furniture, Bedding, &c.—
28	203	36	265	36	240	27	211	15	143	Bedding.
10	175	8	156	11	220	90	933	100	999	Furniture.
16	51	24	75	21	51	14	37	11	38	Picture Frames.
8	62	8	70	10	82	7	72	5	56	Window Blinds.
										Books, Paper, Printing, &c.—
15	328	21	421	22	478	22	443	27	484	Account Books, Binding, &c.
2	120	1	100	1	60	1	60	1	54	Paper.
65	1,761	72	2,142	81	2,531	138	3,053	148	3,109	Printing.
										Miscellaneous—
3	36	6	48	6	53	4	24	5	44	Brushes.
203	1,848	229	1,936	245	2,144	215	1,900	202	1,814	Coaches and Waggons.
10	45	11	47	10	38	10	42	5	23	Dyeing.
19	526	20	589	27	1,008	28	1,084	25	1,131	Gas.
2	60	2	54	2	195	4	375	3	299	Kerosene Oil.
7	51	8	44	9	54	6	37	6	15	Packing Cases.
6	100	7	128	9	148	8	110	8	118	Rope.
250	1,054	266	1,068	253	956	100	505	76	571	Saddle and Harness.
38	220	34	204	40	223	46	321	52	367	Soap, Candle, and Soap Powder.
36	402	65	668	61	550	12	208	11	312	Stone-crushing.
22	723	21	688	16	668	17	703	13	662	Tobacco.

distinguish the number of hands engaged in the various industries; in such cases the total has been credited to the principal

have been omitted in the return for 1886 and 1887. FURNITURE.—Only works using steam were returned prior to 1886.
for 1886 and 1887. WATERWORKS.—Sydney Waterworks not included. TOBACCO.—Cigarette Factories not included.

No. 104.—Number of Females employed in Principal Industries, 1877–87.

Name of Establishment.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
Account Book, &c., Manufactories	71	64	68	64	84	83	131	144	177	186	223
Bakeries (Steam)	.....	.....	5	11	14	26	33	53	62	79	91
Bedding Manufactories	23	45	22	31	35	43	60	52	60	45	35
Boot „	305	299	373	341	377	341	377	418	433	416	436
Clothing „	2,081	2,138	1,487	830	1,260	994	1,071	1,112	1,794	1,686	1,826
Confectionery „	64	79	74	33	44	34	47	45	60	69	80
Gingerbeer, Aerated Waters, &c.	10	5	11	6	14	14	189	12	23	7	4
Hat Manufactories	70	24	30	26	12	23	24	45	55	45	46
Jam „	4	10	13	10	5	8	12	23	23	52	15
Printing Works	29	30	54	19	9	.....*a*	24	26	76	31	64
Paper-box, &c.	4	6	7	10	22	4	2	19	24	37	45
Shirt Manufactories	344	309	314	175	166	96	.....	50	100	26	25
Soap Powder „	12	23	14	22	23	39	30	28	26	11	11
Steam Washing Works	22	3	4	21	41	48	79	85	84	127	42
Tobacco Manufactories	62	62	41	56	50	86	90	155	257	144	156
Woollen Cloth „	51	53	119	100	157	119	112	137	189	78	71
Other Industries, not enumerated above	65	89	63	73	100	155	115	82	61	462	559
	3,217	3,239	2,699	1,828	2,413	2,113	2,396	2,486	3,504	3,501	3,724

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No. 105.—Number of Works and Hands Employed, 1877–87.

Year.	Metropolitan Electorates.				Country Electorates.				General Total.			
	No. of Manufactories, &c.	No. of Hands employed.			No. of Manufactories, &c.	No. of Hands employed.			No. of Manufactories, &c.	No. of Hands employed.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.
1877...	810	10,488	3,070	14,558	1,792	11,227	147	11,374	2,602	21,715	3,217	24,932
1878...	867	12,184	3,052	15,236	1,856	10,568	187	10,755	2,723	22,752	3,239	28,991
1879...	905	12,523	2,481	15,004	1,756	10,492	218	10,710	2,661	23,015	2,699	25,714
1880...	971	15,043	1,643	16,686	1,816	11,463	185	11,648	2,787	26,506	1,828	28,334
1881...	995	15,671	2,222	18,893	1,985	13 227	191	13,418	2,980	28,898	2,413	31,311
1882...	1,023	17,062	1,903	18,965	2,180	15,012	210	15,222	3,203	32,074	2,113	34,187
1883...	1,049	17,872	1,971	19,843	2,217	14.974	425	15,399	3,266	32,846	2,396	35,242
1884...	1,137	19,969	2,257	22,226	2,361	17,144	232	17,376	3,498	37,113	2,489	39,602
1885...	1,176	20,640	3,258	23,898	2,436	18,685	246	18,931	3,612	39.325	3.504	42,829
1886...	1,463	23,361	3,001	26,362	2,231	18,928	493	19,421	3,694	42,289	3,494	45,783
1887...	1,434	22,264	3,126	25,390	2,074	18,372	598	18,970	3,508	40,636	3,724	44,360

No. 106.—Number of Works of each Class, with Hands and Power Employed, 1886 and 1887.

Classification of Manufactories and Works.	1886.					1887.				
	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.			Horse-power.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.			Horse-power.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			Males.	Females.	Total.	
Treating raw material, the product of pastoral pursuits	236	2,791	5	2,796	1,547	231	2,226	2	2,228	1,560
Connected with food and drink or the preparation thereof	809	7,570	493	8,063	7,460	797	7,917	626	8,543	7,583
Clothing and textile fabrics	175	3,241	2,291	5,532	387	152	3,138	2,439	5,577	292
Building materials...	933	9,247	13	9,260	8,057	853	8,350	5	8,355	7,412
Metal works, implements, machinery and engineering, railway carriages	320	7,213	6	7,219	2,632	331	6,797	.....	6,797	3,566
Docks, slips, ship-building, and sail-making	96	1,076	1	1,077	286	84	789	2	791	380
Furniture, bedding, &c.	146	1,289	91	1,380	250	145	1,261	62	1,323	262
Paper, printing, binding, engraving, &c.	175	3,392	267	3,659	641	191	3,427	344	3,771	723
Vehicles, harness, saddlery	317	2,414	8	2,422	187	280	2,383	5	2,388	179
Fuel and light	100	1,746	.....	1,746	1,285	103	1,787	.....	1,787	1,405
Other works	387	2,310	319	2,629	2,647	341	2,561	239	2,800	2,790
	3,694	42,289	3,494	45,783	25,379	3,508	30,636	3,724	44,360	26,152

In the returns from which the foregoing tables were prepared, all manufactories where power is used have been included irrespective of the number of hands employed. Of the works which do not use power, only such have been enumerated as are in a fairly large way of business; merely retail establishments have, therefore, been omitted. Clothing factories employing less than 10 hands, and boot factories of less than 6 hands, have not been taken into account. Some works where less than 6 hands are usually engaged, and where power is not used, have, however, been included; these are for the most part establishments of a special character, regarding which it is desirable to have statistics for future reference.

No. 107.—Boiling-down Works: Number of Hands Employed, and Quantities of Tallow and Lard Produced, 1877–87.

Year.	Number of Boiling-down Establishments.	Hands.	Estimated Quantity of New South Wales Tallow exported.	Estimated Quantity of New South Wales Tallow locally consumed.	Estimated Quantity of Tallow produced.	Estimated Quantity of Lard produced.
			cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
1877	36	89	73,435	88,846	162,281	31,808
1878	34	50	36,646	78,205	114,851	45,136
1879	33	83	110,381	48,305	158,686	76,272
1880	47	155	192,572	75,862	268,434	78,848
1881	47	282	148,017	73,504	221,521	95,200
1882	39	148	100,613	92,035	192,648	39,312
1883	42	169	156,568	95,740	252,308	22,848
1884	41	220	98,773	100,816	199,589	23,184
1885	36	272	128,810	96,774	225,584	19,418
1886	40	172	99,451	110,850	210,301	7,114
1887	32	121	191,791	143,501	335,292	6,855

No. 108.—Boot Factories: Hands Employed and Quantities Manufactured, 1877–87.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.			Boots made.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
					Pairs.
1877	104	1,610	305	1,915	.....
1878	71	1,584	299	1,883	.....
1879	71	1,750	373	2,123	.....
1880	75	2,038	341	2,379	.....
1881	71	1,849	377	2,226	.....
1882	62	1,695	341	2,036	.....
1883	61	1,748	377	2,125	.....
1884	68	1,871	418	2,289	.....
1885	65	1,672	433	2,105	.....
1886	68	1,856	416	2,272	*1,881,210
1887	60	1,837	436	2,273	3,418,612

* Information not obtained prior to 1886.

No. 109.—Brick Works: Hands Employed, Number of Bricks Manufactured, and Power and Value of Plant, 1877–87.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Number of Hands.	Number of Bricks made.	Horse-power of Plant.
			Thousands.	
1877	336	1,715	.....	.....
1878	383	1,946	.....	.....
1879	375	1,812	.....	.....
1880	390	2,727	.....	.....
1881	412	2,476	.....	.....
1882	478	3,106	.....	.....
1883	448	3,002	.....	.....
1884	431	3,078	.....	.....
1885	449	3,617	.....	.....
1886	330	2,959	*243,831	*1,414
1887	282	2,230	214,199	1,237

* Particulars not ascertained previous to this year.

No. 110.—Breweries: Hands Employed, and Quantities Manufactured, 1881–87.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Quantity Manufactured, Ale, Beer, &c.	Value of Plant.	Horse-power of Plant.
			Gallons.	£	
1881	50	637	.....	.....	.....
1882	56	699	.....	.....	.....
1883	59	747	.....	.....	.....
1884	60	788	.....	.....	.....
1885	70	805	†11,000,000	.....	.....
1886	74	987	§10,000,000	*151,090	†683
1887	75	804	‡9,720,000	127,255	715

* Corrected since previous estimate. † Particulars not ascertained previous to this year. ‡ The quantity on which duty was paid, from 1st July to 31st December, was 4,804,996 gallons. § Approximate.

No. 111.—Distilleries: Quantity of Spirit Distilled, with Hands Employed, 1877–87.

Year.	Number of Distilleries.	Hands Employed.	Material used—Molasses.	Spirit Distilled (Rum).	Value of Plant.
			cwt.	Proof gallons.	
1877	2	16	26,531	150,737	.....
1878	2	17	20,576	124,156	.....
1879	2	13	32,592	128,285	.....
1880	2	7	20,882	110,063	.....
1881	1	10	14,399	74,377	.....
1882	1	31	25,035	118,066	.....
1883	1	24	31,596	152,766	.....
1884	1	16	34,523	160,403	.....
1885	1	28	39,380	193,343	.....
1886	1	27	41,098	202,420	*5,790
1887	1	20	42,941	197,016	6,100

* Information not obtained previous to this year.

No. 112.—Gas Works: Hands Employed, Quantity of Gas Manufactured, &c., 1877–87.

Year.	Number of Gasworks.	Hands Employed.	Quantity of Gas made.	Value of Plant.	Power of Plant.
			1,000 cubic feet.	£	Horse-power.
1877	11	207	.....	.....	.....
1878	11	275	.....	.....	.....
1879	10	325	.....	.....	.....
1880	12	342	.....	.....	.....
1881	15	541	.....	.....	.....
1882	17	408	.....	.....	.....
1883	19	526	.....	.....	.....
1884	20	589	.....	.....	.....
1885	27	1,008	.....	.....	.....
1886	28	1,084	*1,051,618	*494,313	*479
1887	25	1,131	1,361,408	509,645	436

* Information not obtained prior to 1886.

No. 113.—Number of Mills for Grinding and Dressing Grain, with Hands Employed, 1876–87.

Year.	Steam.		Water		Wind.		Horse.		Total.		Number of Hands Employed.			Quantity of Flour made.	Value of Machinery, Plant, &c. (Approximate.)
	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.	No	Horse-power.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
														Tons.	£
1876	150	2,481	8	77	2	20	4	12	164	2,590	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1877	151	2,529	8	80	1	10	3	4	163	2,623	623	.....	623	*58,139	.....
1878	152	2,577	10	88	1	10	2	2	165	2,677	657	7	664	58,783	.....
1879	147	2,580	9	84	1	10	4	10	161	2,684	544	2	546	70,767	.....
1880	140	2,551	7	88	1	10	2	10	150	2,659	566	.....	566	72,443	.....
1881	148	2,806	9	95	1	10	1	2	159	2,913	685	10	695	70,180	.....
1882	156	2,929	7	72	1	10	2	14	166	3,025	604	9	613	75,326	.....
1883	145	2,759	9	88	...	.....	...	.....	154	2,847	685	.....	685	78,166	.....
1884	153	3,109	8	98	...	.....	...	.....	161	3,207	659	3	662	88,033	.....
1885	152	3,026	7	66	...	.....	...	.....	159	3,092	662	.....	662	88,501	.....
1886	128	2,602	5	48	...	.....	...	.....	133	2,650	570	1	571	67,736	*333,362
1887	122	2,721	5	48	...	.....	1	12	128	2,781	591	8	599	93,883	336,800

* Information not obtained prior to this year.

No. 114.—Saw Mills: Hands Employed, Power and Value of Plant, and Quantity of Timber Sawn, &c., 1877–87.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.			Power of Plant.	Value of Plant.	Quantity of Timber Sawn, &c.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
					Horse-power.	£	Sq. ft.—1 in. thick.
1877	215	1,693	1	1,694	.....	.....	.....
1878	228	2,077	.....	2,077	.....	.....	.....
1879	232	2,072	.....	2,072	.....	.....	.....
1880	243	2,438	20	2,458	.....	.....	.....
1881	280	2,379	3	2,382	.....	.....	.....
1882	334	3,013	.....	3,013	.....	.....	.....
1883	370	3,318	.....	3,318	.....	.....	.....
1884	376	3,477	.....	3,477	.....	.....	.....
1885	415	3,775	8	3,783	.....	.....	.....
1886	323	3,272	12	3,284	*5,177	*457,362	*110,000,000
1887	322	3,252	2	3,254	4,894	394,485	125,000,000

* Particulars not ascertained previous to 1886.

No. 115.—Soap and Candle Factories: Hands Employed and Quantities Manufactured, 1876–87.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Quantities Manufactured.		Horse-power of Plant.
			Soap.	Candles.	
			cwt.	lb.	
1876...	33	*	80,895	1,546,832	.....
1877...	36	173	92,958	4,133,808	.....
1878...	34	180	77,655	3,951,696	.....
1879...	34	169	64,524	1,198,736	.....
1880...	38	203	114,118	923,776	.....
1881...	38	232	106,962	1,165,808	.....
1882...	40	263	112,513	3,066,224	.....
1883...	38	220	121,794	2,807,728	.....
1884...	34	204	131,244	2,759,680	.....
1885...	40	223	138,849	1,683,360	.....
1886...	46	321	155,430	2,199,282	†331
1887...	52	367	190,060	2,442,960	347

* Not ascertained. † Particulars not ascertained previous to 1886.

No. 116.—Sugar Mills: Hands, &c., Employed, Quantity of Sugar and Molasses Manufactured, 1876–87.

Year.	Number of Mills.		Horse-power.		Quantity of Sugar Manufactured.	Quantity of Molasses Manufactured.	† Hands Employed.
	Worked by Steam.	Worked by Cattle.	Steam.	Cattle.			
					cwt.	gallons.	
1876	19	31	302	136	93,960	273,480	.....
1877	24	26	503	108	150,744	345,543	1,065
1878	36	23	627	119	163,203	532,825	1,158
1879	44	21	637	185	153,833	440,506	1,432
1880	50	15	1,601	76	146,003	269,092	2,183
1881	59	17	1,432	63	159,048	354,402	1,665
1882	70	16	978	49	270,000	560,000	1,039
1883	79	14	2,651	44	280,000	580,000	1,285
1884	86	12	2,855	50	230,000	450,000	2,190
1885	83	19	2,598	32	369,280	635,000	2,634
1886	57	7	2,531	21	275,000	507,000	2,259
1887	*57	7	2,210	26	450,000	880,000	2,646

* Also 21 mills not working during 1887. † Includes hands employed for only portion of the year.

No. 117.—Sugar Refineries: Number of Works, Hands Employed, and Quantities Produced, 1877–87.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Number of Hands Employed.	Quantity of Sugar Melted.	Horse-power of Plant.
			cwt.	
1877	2	165	259,650	.....
1878	2	153	324,480	.....
1879	2	181	388,480	.....
1880	2	166	414,400	.....
1881	2	222	514,400	.....
1882	2	235	470,000	.....
1883	2	214	468,000	.....
1884	2	172	370,000	.....
1885	2	224	384,000	.....
1886	2	214	510,000	*156
1887	1	200	562,300	300

* Information not obtained previous to 1886.

No. 118.—Tobacco Factories: Hands Employed, Quantity of Material Used and Manufactured, &c., 1885–87.

Year.	No. of Tobacco Factories.	No. of Cigar and Cigarette Factories.	Hands Employed.		Value of Plant.	Horse-power of Machinery.	Tobacco Leaf Used.		Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes, Manufactured.		
			Males.	Females			*Colonial Leaf.	†Imported Leaf.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
					£		lb.	lb.		lb.	£
1885	16	9	411	257	62,980	120	1,825,854	672,485	Tobacco...	2,133,168	319,975
									Cigars ...	9,402	5,641
									Cigarettes	6,901	3,105
1886	17	9	559	144	64,550	120	1,853,407	561,514	Tobacco...	2,044,240	306,636
									Cigars ...	7,125	4,275
									Cigarettes	5,340	2,403
1887	13	10	506	156	83,650	117	1,994,001	552,217	Tobacco...	2,147,418	342,289
									Cigars ...	6,057	3,634
									Cigarettes	10,269	4,621

NOTE.—The number of works shown in this table exceeds that shown in previous tables; all establishments are included above, irrespective of the number of hands and the quantity manufactured.
* Includes stalks and fibre of leaf. † Stalks, &c., removed.

No. 119.—Woollen Mills: Hands Employed and Quantity of Woollen Cloth Manufactured—1877–87.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.			Quantity of Woollen Cloth Manufactured.	Horse-power of Plant.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
					yds.	
1877	8	156	51	207	421,452	.....
1878	9	145	53	198	480,037	.....
1879	9	157	119	276	415,400	.....
1880	8	114	100	214	353,100	.....
1881	5	178	157	335	358,000	.....
1882	8	266	119	385	319,225	.....
1883	9	260	112	372	352,000	.....
1884	7	175	137	312	305,000	.....
1885	6	134	189	323	337,750	.....
1886	8	104	78	182	324,788	*238
1887	5	101	71	172	348,000	140

* Information not obtained prior to 1886.

PART V.—MONETARY AND FINANCIAL.

No. 120.—Receipts on account of the Consolidated Revenue Fund from Taxation, Land Revenue, and Services, 1872–87.

Year.	Taxation.	Land Revenue.	Services.	Miscellaneous.	Total Receipts.
	£	£	£	£	£
1872	1,200,203	840,453	659,770	111,585	2,812,011
1873	1,364,806	1,137,914	728,875	99,319	3,330,913
1874	1,200,489	1,426,166	770,895	116,764	3,514,314
1875	1,122,002	2,020,629	858,497	125,175	4,126,303
1876	1,161,406	2,773,003	965,327	137,925	5,037,661
1877	1,233,132	3,236,277	1,119,532	162,937	5,751,878
1878	1,309,718	2,325,711	1,183,582	172,908	4,991,919
1879	1,272,721	1,632,024	1,328,302	248,618	4,481,665
1880	1,417,294	1,646,435	1,594,082	254,179	4,911,990
1881	1,770,849	2,820,988	1,945,076	177,414	6,714,327
1882	1,903,412	2,914,394	2,363,085	237,645	7,418,536
1883	1,891,708	1,656,069	2,666,731	255,833	6,470,341
1884	2,152,854	1,753,345	2,942,643	268,750	7,117,592
1885	2,252,651	1,876,452	3,168,463	289,802	7,587,368
1886	2,611,835	1,643,955	3,089,235	2,249,276	7,594,300
1887	2,664,548	2,378,995	3,245,907	293,361	8,582,811

No. 121.—Receipts on account of the Consolidated Revenue Fund from various sources, per head, 1872–87.

Year.	Taxation.	Land Revenue.	Services.	Miscellaneous.	Total Receipts.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1872	2 5 7	1 11 11	1 5 1	0 4 2	5 6 9
1873	2 10 2	2 1 9	1 6 9	0 3 8	6 2 4
1874	2 2 6	2 10 6	1 7 4	0 4 2	6 4 6
1875	1 18 5	3 9 2	1 9 4	0 4 3	7 1 2
1876	1 18 5	4 11 9	1 11 11	0 4 7	8 6 8
1877	1 19 3	5 2 11	1 15 7	0 5 2	9 2 11
1878	1 19 10	3 10 8	1 16 0	0 5 3	7 11 9
1879	1 16 10	2 7 3	1 18 6	0 7 2	6 9 9
1880	1 19 1	2 5 4	2 3 11	0 7 1	6 15 5
1881	2 6 7	3 14 2	2 11 2	0 4 8	8 16 7
1882	2 7 11	3 13 4	2 19 5	0 6 0	9 6 8
1883	2 5 4	1 19 8	3 3 11	0 6 2	7 15 1
1884	2 8 10	1 19 10	3 6 10	0 6 1	8 1 7
1885	2 8 4	2 0 6	3 8 0	0 6 2	8 3 0
1886	2 13 4	1 13 7	3 3 0	0 5 1	7 15 0
1887	2 12 2	2 6 6	3 3 6	0 5 8	8 7 10

No. 122.—Receipts on account of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1871-87.

Year.	Taxation.				Land Revenue.		Services.			Miscellaneous.			Total Revenue.
	Customs.	* Excise.	Stamps.	Licenses.	Sales.	Occupation.	Railways.	Post and Telegraph.	Miscellaneous Services.	Rents (land not included).	Fines and Forfeitures	Unclassified.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1871	881,247	28,546	77,500	75,911	262,531	235,447	361,426	118,719	81,534	29,258	6,000	80,781	2,238,900
1872	1,002,443	23,849	94,298	79,613	436,483	403,970	421,888	148,953	88,929	35,062	5,751	70,772	2,812,011
1873	1,150,867	36,593	94,629	82,717	845,410	292,504	483,575	158,497	86,803	31,192	7,182	60,945	3,330,913
1874	969,062	44,684	100,871	85,872	1,163,572	262,594	532,852	149,709	88,334	33,513	7,437	75,814	3,514,314
1875	988,628	39,840	4,725	88,809	1,760,570	260,059	598,664	164,008	95,825	33,790	8,173	83,212	4,126,303
1876	1,021,240	45,835	455	93,876	2,513,404	259,599	678,392	190,882	96,053	31,070	8,635	98,220	5,037,661
1877	1,082,191	48,035	1,658	101,248	2,967,857	268,420	799,947	224,449	95,136	24,069	8,988	129,880	5,751,878
1878	1,155,636	44,220	10	109,852	2,076,004	249,707	860,285	226,405	96,892	6,097	9,940	156,878	4,991,919
1879	1,114,951	44,070	1,840	111,860	1,386,687	245,337	976,898	259,170	92,234	10,869	10,092	227,657	4,481,665
1880	1,188,930	43,864	72,303	112,197	1,382,026	264,409	1,189,564	286,134	118,384	37,337	12,371	204,471	4,911,990
1881	1,393,676	68,705	192,503	115,965	2,483,338	337,650	1,459,684	330,414	154,978	53,785	14,416	109,213	6,714,327
1882	1,480,046	78,297	228,138	116,931	2,455,041	459,353	1,828,094	358,525	176,466	55,476	17,072	165,097	7,418,536
1883	1,546,857	12,193	214,975	117,683	1,269,480	386,589	2,081,128	403,794	181,809	45,782	19,798	190,242	6,470,341
1884	1,726,811	79,967	226,048	120,028	1,363,483	389,862	2,302,013	442,964	197,666	53,185	21,344	194,221	7,117,592
1885	1,759,955	116,497	253,504	122,695	1,314,552	561,900	2,492,690	472,564	203,209	51,258	22,007	216,341	7,587,368
1886	2,068,571	109,833	307,993	125,438	1,206,438	437,517	2,381,138	486,218	213,879	50,505	20 171	178,599	7,594,301
1887	2,011,947	204,420	321,749	126,432	1,221,776	1,157,219	2,510,335	524,238	211,274	51,095	18,355	223,911	8,582,811

* For details of Customs Duties see Part III No. 100.

No. 123.—Public Expenditure, exclusive of Expenditure from Loans, 1877–87.

Year.	Railways and Tramways.	Post and Telegraphs.	Other Public Works.	Interest on Debt and Extinction of Loan.	Immigration.	Public Instruction.	Other Services.	Total Expenditure.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877 ...	453,598	312,226	806,325	591,744	69,332	277,666	1,990,319	4,501,210
1878 ...	698,446	352,157	1,058,762	587,552	95,122	383,711	1,902,631	5,078,381
1879 ...	809,245	383,391	1,314,819	584,339	82,123	387,786	2,183,806	5,745,509
1880 ...	838,559	396,301	1,224,521	715,994	43,522	385,567	1,898,296	5,502,760
1881 ...	786,269	421,594	1,139,671	719,752	45,966	552,363	2,123,327	5,788,942
1882 ...	1,031,720	446,658	1,132,041	969,198	46,301	665,901	2,063,791	6,355,610
1883 ...	1,439,327	504,055	1,262,806	927,905	112,319	879,120	2,665,556	7,791,088
1884 ...	1,585,603	542,182	1,494,983	1,047,322	120,038	817,767	2,806,465	8,414,360
1885 ...	1,729,894	570,999	1,323,991	1,300,184	52,050	751,335	2,838,035	8,566,488
1886 ...	1,710,495	610,651	1,248,877	1,579,689	35,397	741,121	3,152,639	9,078,869
1887 ...	1,698,716	633,813	1,172,993	1,693,926	31,534	718,422	3,149,056	9,098,460

NOTE :—The Public Accounts issued by the Auditor-General, show an expenditure of £9,216,056.

No. 124.—Public Expenditure per head, exclusive of Expenditure from Loans, 1877–87.

Year.	Railways and Tramways.	Post and Telegraphs.	Other Public Works.	Interest on Debt, &c.	Immigration.	Public Instruction.	Other Services.	Total Expenditure.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1877	0 14 5	0 9 11	1 5 8	0 18 10	0 2 2	0 8 10	3 3 3	7 3 1
1878	1 1 3	0 10 8	1 12 2	0 17 10	0 2 11	0 11 8	2 17 10	7 14 4
1879	1 3 5	0 11 1	1 18 1	0 16 11	0 2 4	0 11 2	3 3 2	8 6 2
1880	1 3 1	0 10 11	1 13 9	0 19 9	0 1 2	0 10 7	2 12 4	7 11 7
1881	1 0 8	0 11 1	1 10 0	0 18 11	0 1 3	0 14 6	2 15 10	7 12 3
1882	1 5 11	0 11 3	1 8 6	1 4 5	0 1 2	0 16 9	2 11 11	7 19 11
1883	1 14 6	0 12 1	1 10 3	1 2 3	0 2 8	1 1 1	3 3 11	9 6 9
1884	1 16 0	0 12 4	1 13 11	1 3 9	0 2 9	0 18 7	3 3 9	9 11 1
1885	1 17 2	0 12 3	1 8 5	1 7 11	0 1 1	0 16 2	3 1 0	9 4 0
1886	1 14 11	0 12 5	1 5 6	1 12 3	0 0 9	0 15 1	3 4 4	9 5 3
1887	1 13 3	0 12 5	1 2 11	1 13 2	0 0 7	0 14 1	3 1 7	8 18 0

No. 125.—Expenditure from Loans and Interest Paid, Total Sum authorized to be raised, and Public Debt at the close of each year—1877–87.

Year.	Total Expenditure from Loans at the close of each Year.		Expenditure from Loans during each Year.		Expenditure on account of Interest during the Year.		Loans Authorized, but not Raised.	Public Debt at close of each Year.	
	* Amount	Per Head Total Population.	Amount.	Per Head Mean Population.	Amount.	Per Head Mean Population.		Amount.	Per Head Total Population.
	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£ s. d.
1877	14,349,506	22 5 10	995,454	1 11 8	517,359	0 16 5	4,481,742	11,724,419	18 4 3
1878	15,165,823	22 11 5	816,317	1 4 10	517,377	0 15 9	4,481,647	11,688,119	17 7 11
1879	16,437,528	23 3 4	1,271,705	1 16 10	516,249	0 14 11	8,729,123	14,937,419	21 1 1
1880	18,106,147	24 8 1	1,668,619	2 6 0	647,294	0 17 10	9,891,123	14,903,919	20 1 9
1881	20,503,515	26 6 7	2,397,368	3 3 1	647,642	0 17 0	16,585,993	16,924,019	21 14 8
1882	23,336,274	28 15 7	2,832,759	3 11 3	727,988	0 18 4	16,585,993	18,721,219	23 1 9
1883	26,601,985	31 0 3	3,265,711	3 18 3	798,620	0 19 2	13,581,487	24,632,459	28 14 4
1884	30,276,692	33 9 10	3,674,707	4 3 5	977,899	1 2 2	19,261,462	30,101,959	33 6 0
1885	34,172,837	35 13 6	3,896,145	4 3 8	1,230,441	1 6 5	14,314,123	35,564,259	37 2 6
1886	37,939,193	37 17 3	3,766,356	3 16 10	1,519,436	1 11 0	12,262,623	41,034,249	40 19 1
1887	39,918,697	38 5 6	1,979,504	1 18 8	1,602,421	1 11 4	12,262,623	40,995,350	39 6 2

* When the figures in this column exceed the amount of loans raised, advances have been made to Loan Funds from Consolidated Revenue and other Funds.

No. 126.—Expenditure for Public Works and other Services, provided for by Loans Acts, from commencement of Loans' Account to 31st December, 1887.

Services.	Principal.	Interest.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Railways and Tramways...	33,556,628 0 0	1,333,301 0 0
Electric Telegraphs	683,310 0 0	30,108 0 0
Harbours and Rivers Navigation	1,998,706 0 0	82,073 0 0
Roads and Bridges	587,006 0 0	26,447 0 0
Immigration...	387,663 0 0	18,863 0 0
City of Sydney Sewerage	592,123 0 0	24,217 0 0
City of Sydney Water Supply	1,526,101 0 0	61,220 0 0
Miscellaneous Public Works	1,663,813 0 0	66,908 0 0
Total ... ... £	40,995,350 0 0	1,643,137 0 0

No. 127.—Estimated Value of Imports and Exports of the Colony and Amount of Public Debt, 1869–87.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.	Public Debt at the close of each year.
	£	£	£	£
1869	8,392,753	9,933,442	18,526,195	9,546,030
1870	7,757,281	7,990,038	15,747,319	9,681,130
1871	10,933,508	11,259,909	22,193,417	10,614,330
1872	9,567,843	10,476,654	20,044,497	10,773,230
1873	10,959,864	12,618,755	23,578,619	10,842,415
1874	11,645,420	12,398,518	24,043,938	10,516,371
1875	13,735,133	13,797,397	27,532,530	11,470,637
1876	13,800,505	13,061,412	26,861,917	11,759,519
1877	14,852,778	13,457,900	28,310,678	11,724,419
1878	15,104,645	13,134,405	28,239,050	11,688,119
1879	14,503,826	13,131,931	27,635,757	14,937,419
1880	14,176,063	15,682,802	29,858,865	14,903,919
1881	17,587,012	16,307,805	33,894,817	16,924,019
1882	21,467,899	17,677,355	39,145,254	18,721,219
1883	21,522,841	20,262,273	41,785,114	24,632,459
1884	23,160,916	18,577,290	41,738,206	30,101,959
1885	23,737,461	16,750,107	40,487,568	35,564,259
1886	20,973,548	15,556,213	36,529,761	41,034,249
1887	18,806,236	18,496,197	37,303,153	40,995,350

No. 128.—Liabilities of the principal Land, Building, and Investment Companies of New South Wales for the quarter ending 31st March, 1888.

Companies.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits not bearing Interest.	Deposits bearing Interest.	Other Liabilities.	Total Liabilities
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sydney and Suburban Mutual Permanent Building and Land Investment Association (Limited)	.....	3,556 16 4	.....	56,795 1 6	40,325 8 6	100,677 6 4
Town and Country Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited)	.....	770 0 0	.....	8,397 0 0	1,451 0 0	10,618 0 0
Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited)	.....	3 777 3 8	.....	125,920 9 4	14,591 5 0	144,288 18 0
Land Company of Australasia (Limited)	1,623 7 10	34,213 17 10	.....	77,393 10 2	94,238 9 2	207,469 5 0
Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association (Limited)	....	6,792 16 11	.....	159,347 10 3	107,325 0 0	273,465 7 2
Excelsior Land, Investment, and Building Company and Bank (Limited)	.....	.....	34,950 7 8	298,515 11 11	54,962 15 4	388,428 14 11
Sydney and Provincial Land and Building Company (Limited)	.....	6,063 3 9	.....	48,708 1 1	8,185 13 7	62,956 18 5
Commercial Building and Investment Company (Limited) ...	.....	.....	1,050 13 7	243,831 7 8	.....	244,882 1 3
National Building, Land, and Investment Company (Limited)	.....	2,410 5 0	.....	60,580 9 11	16,847 17 9	79,838 12 8
Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company (Limited)	.....	3,749 17 4	30,943 10 3	154,661 7 1	27,257 3 10	216,611 18 6
Intercolonial Investment, Land, and Building Company (Limited)	.....	1,270 8 6	.....	19,613 16 2	21,635 0 8	42,519 5 4
Anglo-Australian Investment, Finance, and Land Company (Limited)	.....	.....	.....	220,684 18 2	165,827 8 4	386,512 6 6
Mutual Provident, Land, Investing, and Building Society (Limited)	.....	13,642 11 4	.....	50,171 16 7	3,853 17 9	67,668 5 8
Burwood Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited)	546 16 0	8,299 16 5	.....	2,815 11 3	9,700 0 0	21,362 3 8
Australian Banking Company (Limited)	.....	.....	4,659 17 4	36,463 5 1	.....	41,123 2 5
Australian Mutual Investment and Building Company (Limited)	.....	3,832 3 8	.....	280,679 15 9	69,834 3 0	354,346 2 5
Mercantile Finance and Depositors' Company (Limited) ...	.....	2,781 7 9	101 11 8	7,952 4 9	.....	10,835 4 2
Monte de Picte Deposit and Investment Company (Limited)	.....	.....	.....	24,774 5 0	12,293 6 2	37,067 11 2
Total	2,170 3 10	91,160 8 6	71,706 0 6	1,877,306 1 8	648,328 9 1	2,690,671 3 7

No. 129.—Assets of the principal Land, Building, and Investment Companies of New South Wales for the quarter ending 31st March, 1888.

Companies.	Coin.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Companies.	Total Assets.
	£ s. d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sydney and Suburban Mutual Permanent Building and Land Investment Association (Limited)	1 0 6	94,865 12 3	22 10 9	46 17 1	78,268 10 2	173,204 10 9
Town and Country Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited)	.....	5,562 0 0	.....	2,051 0 0	13,739 0 0	21,352 0 0
Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited)	702 8 9	87,437 2 3	29 15 5	8,811 10 10	133,637 9 8	230,618 6 11
Land Company of Australasia (Limited)	85 11 2	188,700 19 0	120 0 0	1,167 19 2	87,576 13 2	277,651 2 6
Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association (Limited)	.....	179 887 1 1	.....	29,993 17 7	218,885 10 11	428,766 9 7
Excelsior Land, Investment, and Building Company and Bank (Limited)	1,248 1 5	161,211 13 3	3,136 18 5	19,669 3 5	304,581 9 5	489,847 5 11
Sydney and Provincial Land and Building Company (Limited)	.....	29,944 5 3	.....	.....	73,629 10 8	103,573 15 11
Commercial Building and Investment Company (Limited)	.....	277,176 14 11	.....	.....	26,599 10 9	303,776 5 8
National Building, Land, and Investment Company (Limited)	914 3 1	46,935 2 9	.....	2,438 0 6	65,915 12 10	116,202 19 2
Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company (Limited)	61 5 4	144,273 4 10	536 11 3	632 15 10	141,357 4 0	286,861 1 3
Intercolonial Investment, Land, and Building Company (Limited)	300 0 0	31,369 8 8	.....	.....	38,233 4 6	69,902 13 2
Anglo-Australian Investment, Finance, and Land Company (Limited)	205 0 10	293,119 8 7	....	22,819 0 2	213,941 19 7	530,085 9 2
Mutual Provident, Land, Investing, and Building Society (Limited)	.....	42,893 2 6	.....	.....	53,890 19 5	96,784 1 11
Burwood Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited)	.....	13,921 17 10	.....	.....	13,742 11 0	27,664 8 10
Australian Banking Company (Limited)	10,060 13 7	10,000 0 0	14,740 0 9	.....	65,928 15 7	100,729 9 11
Australian Mutual Investment and Building Company (Limited)	137 10 0	191,317 6 6	1,416 13 4	1,492 1 10	230,881 3 0	425,244 14 8
Mercantile Finance and Depositors' Company (Limited)	38 1 6	5,587 8 8	.....	572 19 2	13,482 18 1	19,681 7 5
Monte de Piete Deposit and Investment Company (Limited)	.....	42,188 9 5	.....	988 11 0	53,958 17 1	97,135 17 6
Total	13,753 16 2	1,846,390 17 9	20,002 9 11	90,683 16 7	1,828,250 19 10	3,199,082 0 3

No. 130.—Capital and Profits of the principal Land, Building, and Investment Companies of New South Wales for the quarter ending 31st March, 1888.

Companies.	Capital paid up.	Rate per Annum of last Dividend.	Amount of Dividend.	Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sydney and Suburban Mutual Permanent Building and Land Investment Association (Limited) ...	57,767 0 1	10 ℔ cent....	2,749 8 7	18,500 0 0
Town and Country Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited)	9,086 0 7	10 ℔ cent....	652 19 5	1,741 12 0
Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited)	52,342 12 0	10 ℔ cent....	2,617 1 9	33,298 14 9
Land Company of Australasia (Limited)	77,649 9 1	10 ℔ cent....	1,762 0 11	8,000 0 0
Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association (Limited)	122,322 16 6	8 ℔ cent....	4,807 1 7	12,500 0 0
Excelsior Land, Investment, and Building Company and Bank (Limited)	57,980 0 0	15 ℔ cent....	8,697 0 0	46,000 0 0
Sydney and Provincial Land and Building Company (Limited)	29,091 4 0	8 ℔ cent....	1,158 11 0	11,000 0 0
Commercial Building and Investment Company (Limited)	50,000 0 0	10 ℔ cent....	2,500 0 0	7,000 0 0
National Building, Land, and Investment Company (Limited) ...	21,765 11 9	10 ℔ cent....	1,036 13 2	10,500 0 0
Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company (Limited)	31,143 0 0	10 ℔ cent....	1,557 3 0	23,055 10 7
Intercolonial Investment, Land, and Building Company (Limited)	16,872 18 3	15 ℔ cent....	1,035 19 7	8,000 0 0
Anglo-Australian Investment, Finance, and Land Company (Limited)	85,066 10 0	*15 ℔ cent....	9,712 16 6	58,573 11 2
Mutual Provident, Land, Investing, and Building Society (Limited)	16,586 16 6	10 ℔ cent....	801 3 6	10,467 0 0
Burwood Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited) ...	5,480 11 3	.....	.....	.....
Australian Banking Company (Limited)	37,647 17 6	12½ ℔ cent.	1,084 5 0	440 15 9
Australian Mutual Investment and Building Company (Limited)	21,857 0 0	25 ℔ cent....	2,683 9 6	45,481 7 6
Mercantile Finance and Depositors' Company (Limited)	9,069 5 2	10 ℔ cent....	208 6 1	.....
Monte de Piete Deposit and Investment Company (Limited) ...	50,000 0 0	10 ℔ cent....	2,500 0 0	8,129 6 9
Total	751,728 12 8	.....	45,563 19 7	302,687 18 6

* Dividend 12½ per cent., and bonus 2½ per cent.

No. 131.—Capital and Profits of Banks operating in the Colony, 1887.

Banks.	Capital paid up.	Rate per Annum of last Dividend.	Amount of Dividend for the year.	Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring Dividend.
	£	℔ cent.	£	£
New South Wales	1,250,000	17½	215,355	900,000
Commercial	600,000	25	150,000	745,358
Australasia	1,600,000	13½	228,000	920,903
Union of Australia	1,500,000	12	195,000	1,084,828
Australian Joint Stock	500,000	12½	62,500	297,504
London Chartered of Australia	1,000,000	7	70,000	204,310
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered... ...	720,000	10	72,000	220,000
Commercial Bank of Australia...	1,000,000	14	106,000	595,608
City	279,120	12½	30,000	157,227
Mercantile Bank of Sydney	300,000	9	27,000	116,123
Federal Bank of Australia	400,000	9	34,000	71,907
Queensland National Bank	652,300	15	97,846	325,746
New Oriental	548,900	6	48,000	116,002
Bank of New Zealand	1,000,000	*12½	62,500	506,106
Bank of South Australia	800,000	6	32,820	125,286
National Bank of Australasia	1,000,000	15	150,000	680,898
Totals...	13,150,320	.....	1,581,021	7,067,805

* No dividend declared for second half-year, 1887.

No. 132.—Assets of Banks trading in New South Wales, average of each year, 1872–87.

Year.	Coin.	Bullion.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted and all other debts due to the Banks.	Landed Property.	Total Assets
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1872	2,859,325	126,201	35,875	1,772,132	7,993,223	307,431	13,094,187
1873	1,972,092	76,483	34,069	2,767,554	9,116,831	296,545	14,263,574
1874	2,322,269	192,254	42,247	3,331,488	10,074,712	313,986	16,276,956
1875	2,476,456	112,319	51,461	3,581,149	11,770,185	326,741	18,318,311
1876	2,828,503	87,063	63,247	3,854,768	12,801,716	347,291	19,982,588
1877	2,586,053	84,415	62,324	3,158,520	15,354,507	385,875	21,631,694
1878	2,262,526	86,194	64,532	3,252,519	16,762,111	425,478	22,853,362
1879	2,488,175	83,824	50,614	3,527,303	17,098,052	486,869	23,734,837
1880	3,373,618	73,651	55,453	3,712,664	16,661,815	521,612	24,398,813
1881	3,594,914	80,068	73,285	3,110,110	19,038,386	585,224	26,481,987
1882	3,022,159	74,308	96,462	3,251,905	23,517,046	662,851	30,624,731
1883	2,798,536	80,018	113,677	2,944,965	25,894,669	748,140	32,580,005
1884	3,559,859	61,223	117,983	3,225,096	27,479,142	818,043	35,261,346
1885	4,171,043	62,066	131,448	1,936,042	30,556,628	958,349	37,815,576
1886	3,958,238	66,243	125,073	2,020,946	32,527,431	1,107,377	39,805,308
1887	4,870,315	65,187	116,233	2,680,343	33,352,179	1,184,463	42,268,720

No. 133.—Liabilities of Banks trading in New South Wales, average of each year, 1872–87.

Year.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits not bearing Interest.	Deposits bearing Interest.	Total Deposits.	Total Liabilities.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1872	789,544	42,916	191,325	*	*	8,653,481	9,672,266
1873	1,005,639	34,289	191,794	*	*	11,369,184	12,600,906
1874	920,620	32,067	243,535	*	*	9,760,661	10,956,813
1875	1,080,088	34,811	251,727	*	*	13,132,772	14,499,398
1876	1,093,862	33,712	205,976	5,146,536	9,563,608	14,710,144	16,043,694
1877	1,129,279	37,618	252,172	5,061,231	10,984,264	16,045,495	17,464,564
1878	1,167,519	38,621	228,804	4,933,643	11,678,843	16,612,486	18,047,430
1879	1,123,123	41,703	152,422	4,898,724	12,352,454	17,251,178	18,568,426
1880	1,173,663	45,229	222,686	5,683,870	12,209,781	17,893,651	19,335,229
1881	1,390,376	52,687	393,848	7,719,236	11,869,979	19,589,215	21,426,126
1882	1,614,191	57,487	639,192	8,310,054	13,772,826	22,082,880	24,393,750
1883	1,677,146	64,596	625,124	7,158,975	16,302,407	23,461,382	25,828,248
1884	1,644,469	60,443	583,020	7,453,914	17,738,445	25,192,359	27,480,291
1885	1,714,095	55,300	868,543	8,819,979	18,387,705	27,207,684	29,845,622
1886	1,621,090	60,827	1,366,202	8,355,255	18,974,984	27,330,239	30,378,358
1887	1,526,096	64,146	1,208,727	8,870,037	20,162,493	29,032,530	31,831,499

The figures in the preceding tables are the yearly averages, and differ slightly from the averages of the last quarter given in tables Nos. 137, 138. * Not separately shown for these years.

No. 134.—Government (Post Office) Savings Banks: Amount of Deposits, Accounts Opened, &c., 1877–87.

Year.	Number of Accounts opened during year.	Number of Accounts closed during year.	Number of Accounts remaining open at close of year.	Total Deposits (including Interest).		Total Withdrawals.		Balance at credit of Depositors at close of year.
				Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	
					£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1877	8,268	5,462	16,076	47,948	344,687 4 8	17,871	278,532 5 7	467,452 10 10
1878	9,853	6,961	18,957	59,932	377,704 8 4	22,596	365,132 1 9	480,024 17 5
1879	10,780	8,170	21,567	67,444	411,316 4 0	27,612	379,983 18 6	511,357 2 11
1880	12,229	9,194	24,602	76,402	476,869 13 11	30,342	401,730 15 10	586,496 3 0
1881	17,516	10,266	31,852	98,270	860,702 3 7	35,159	475,696 19 9	971,501 6 10
1882	20,968	13,967	38,853	121,868	930,263 10 11	48,443	743,310 14 5	1,158,454 3 9
1883	25,009	18,141	45,721	147,627	974,003 8 8	59,475	948,938 8 3	1,183,519 3 9
1884	27,449	21,771	51,399	156,578	1,076,899 5 11	71,532	969,487 3 0	1,290,931 6 8
1885	29,135	22,986	57,538	170,750	1,201,776 7 4	75,600	1,020,813 12 0	1,471,894 1 11
1886	27,874	25,846	59,566	167,161	1,123,966 10 11	87,169	1,172,555 5 4	1,423,305 7 6
1887	28,225	23,789	64,002	172,823	1,076,987 0 5	84,110	998,838 13 8	1,501,453 14 3

No. 135.—Number of Depositors and the Amount of Deposits in the Savings of Deposits,

Year.	£20 and under.		Between £20 and £50.		Between £50 and £100.		Between
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
1876 ...	14,695	81,382 6 9	5,942	192,593 14 8	4,946	355,447 13 2	5,170
1877 ...	15,337	83,390 19 9	6,062	205,938 6 2	5,229	373,299 16 5	5,329
1878 ...	15,979	90,456 4 1	6,251	200,928 8 0	5,130	366,513 15 9	5,042
1879 ...	17,096	95,640 18 1	6,490	209,961 7 7	5,368	380,356 8 0	5,492
1880 ...	18,357	101,273 5 5	6,888	225,211 6 0	5,776	413,858 6 8	5,641
1881 ...	19,684	108,993 4 2	7,291	234,263 3 8	6,223	447,891 14 11	7,007
1882 ...	20,502	116,582 17 9	7,524	254,164 2 3	6,521	478,224 0 0	7,392
1883 ...	22,873	128,079 15 3	8,627	278,188 10 11	6,734	478,345 19 0	6,859
1884 ...	23,935	130,940 2 6	8,779	282,225 8 7	7,109	509,378 6 7	6,934
1885 ...	25,426	139,118 15 5	9,208	297,400 19 5	7,558	542,330 12 10	7,389
1886 ...	27,260	145,858 6 8	9,315	304,671 2 2	7,673	535,287 19 11	7,718
1887 ...	28,571	149,669 2 9	9,767	316,163 5 4	7,944	569,064 12 4	8,161

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£100 and £200.		Between £200 and £300.		£300 and upwards.		Total.		Year.
Amount.		No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.		£	s. d.		
570,672	6 5	151	35,052	4 10	99	68,664	6 6	31,003	1,303,812	12 4	1876
576,924	10 7	151	35,368	19 1	112	80,335	11 1	32,220	1,355,258	3 1	1877
560,231	18 8	122	28,026	16 10	120	86,859	13 0	32,644	1,333,016	16 4	1878
609,354	8 8	131	30,690	6 1	112	84,901	10 6	34,689	1,410,904	19 9	1879
622,237	3 2	144	32,599	18 11	123	94,180	1 8	36,929	1,489,360	1 10	1880
771,451	8 0	181	42,457	8 6	146	122,145	1 10	40,532	1,727,202	1 1	1881
825,580	5 4	183	43,702	14 3	152	138,387	9 7	42,274	1,856,641	9 2	1882
762,019	13 6	194	47,098	12 3	155	128,586	4 4	45,442	1,822,318	15 3	1883
774,798	16 2	184	42,855	17 0	181	147,150	10 1	47,122	1,887,349	0 11	1884
824,875	11 4	211	48,929	1 1	185	164,001	7 1	49,977	2,016,656	7 2	1885
872,174	8 2	220	50,132	11 5	192	173,374	0 3	52,378	2,081,498	8 7	1886
902,351	7 5	234	55,449	18 5	196	181,741	3 0	54,873	2,174,439	9 3	1887

No. 136.—Estimate of the Coin in Circulation

Year.	In Private Hands.				In the	
	Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1855	.....	.....	.....	570,315	.....	.....
1856	.....	.....	.....	1,559,815	.....	.....
1857	.....	.....	.....	1,925,661	.....	.....
1858	.....	.....	.....	1,381,865	.....	.....
1859	.....	.....	.....	1,442,449	.....	.....
1860	.....	.....	.....	1,456,052	.....	.....
1861	.....	.....	.....	1,617,997	.....	.....
1862	.....	.....	.....	1,723,480	.....	.....
1863	.....	.....	.....	1,820,858	.....	.....
1864	.....	.....	.....	1,881,644	.....	.....
1865	.....	.....	.....	1,781,073	.....	.....
1866	.....	.....	.....	1,939,057	.....	.....
1867	.....	.....	.....	1,843,863	.....	.....
1868	.....	.....	.....	1,890,280	.....	.....
1869	.....	.....	.....	1,902,506	.....	.....
1870	.....	.....	.....	1,960,344	.....	.....
1871	.....	.....	.....	2,004,036	.....	.....
1872	.....	.....	.....	2,075,546	.....	.....
1873	.....	.....	.....	2,191,794	.....	.....
1874	.....	.....	.....	2,279,316	.....	.....
1875	.....	.....	.....	2,179,326	.....	.....
1876	.....	.....	.....	2,191,945	.....	.....
1877	.....	.....	.....	2,394,750	.....	.....
1878	2,179,134	171,730	15,967	2,366,831	2,125,185	100,206
1879	2,226,371	174,373	16,633	2,417,377	2,967,427	132,860
1880	2,391,118	197,657	16,595	2,605,370	3,499,257	136,220
1881	2,875,320	211,131	17,946	3,104,397	2,748,350	136,501
1882	2,877,548	231,838	19,029	3,128,415	2,538,615	132,712
1883	2,717,214	251,217	20,706	2,989,137	2,710,230	150,658
1884	2,707,510	259,658	21,576	2,988,744	3,689,539	173,017
1885	2,923,743	302,721	23,618	3,250,082	3,882,103	185,642
1886	3,027,220	309,857	24,827	3,361,904	4,230,792	206,488
1887	3,398,922	321,619	25,439	3,745,980	4,916,211	190,782

and in the Banks on 31st December, 1855–87.

Banks.		Total.				Year.
Bronze.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.	Total.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	
.....	1,549,398	1,916,995	202,718	.....	2,119,713	1855
.....	1,761,754	3,118,851	202,718	.....	3,321,569	1856
.....	1,248,482	2,972,152	201,991	.....	3,174,143	1857
.....	1,721,789	2,903,901	199,753	.....	3,103,654	1858
.....	1,380,543	2,636,293	186,699	....	2,822,992	1859
.....	1,490,561	2,765,623	180,990	.....	2,946,613	1860
.....	1,329,722	2,766,251	181,088	380	2,947,719	1861
.....	1,239,636	2,776,587	186,350	179	2,963,116	1862
.....	962,426	2,596,695	186,059	530	2,783,284	1863
.....	1,144,117	2,841,064	183,579	1,118	3,025,761	1864
.....	1,228,450	2,829,690	178,820	1,013	3,009,523	1865
.....	1,259,150	3,007,353	189,841	1,013	3,198,207	1866
.....	1,708,536	3,367,410	183,426	1,563	3,552,399	1867
....	2,224,269	3,925,310	178,561	10,678	4,114,549	1868
.....	1,305,790	3,024,698	172,969	10,629	3,208,296	1869
.....	1,352,842	3,123,901	178,922	10,363	3,313,186	1870
.....	2,413,144	4,218,288	188,273	10,619	4,417,180	1871
.....	2,693,154	4,557,926	200,378	10,396	4,768,700	1872
.....	1,970,075	3,961,142	189,530	11,197	4,161,869	1873
.....	2,283,353	4,326,262	225,340	11,067	4,562,669	1874
.....	2,525,698	4,480,031	209,471	15,522	4,705,024	1875
.....	2,732,104	4,658,160	250,533	15,356	4,924,049	1876
.....	2,435,126	4,527,870	285,310	16,696	4,829,876	1877
1,724	2,227,115	4,304,319	271,936	17,691	4,593,946	1878
2,058	3,102,345	5,193,798	307,233	18,691	5,519,722	1879
2,091	3,637,568	5,890,375	333,877	18,686	6,242,938	1880
1,039	2,885,890	5,623,670	347,632	18,985	5,990,287	1881
1,472	2,672,799	5,416,163	364,550	20,501	5,801,214	1882
1,092	2,861,980	5,427,444	401,875	21,798	5,851,117	1883
1,317	3,863,873	6,397,049	432,675	22,893	6,852,617	1884
2,095	4,069,840	6,805,846	488,363	25,713	7,319,922	1885
2,462	4,439,742	7,258,012	516,345	27,289	7,801,646	1886
2,003	5,108,996	8,315,133	512,401	27,442	8,854,976	1887

No. 137.—Amount of Money on Deposit in Banks of the Colony, with rate per head, during last quarter of each year, 1871–87.

Year.	Banks.	Savings Banks.	Post Office Banks.	Total.	Amount per head of Population.
	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1871	7,043,886	931,688	14,227	7,989,801	15 8 7
1872	9,273,087	1,028,738	80,688	10,382,513	19 7 11
1873	10,279,324	1,164,561	206,070	11,649,955	21 0 8
1874	11,884,958	1,275,902	303,113	13,463,973	23 8 4
1875	13,650,892	1,295,797	354,075	15,300,764	25 14 11
1876	14,859,505	1,303,813	400,120	16,563,438	26 19 4
1877	16,325,943	1,355,258	467,453	18,147,754	28 3 10
1878	16,722,453	1,333,017	480,025	18,535,495	28 11 8
1879	17,862,840	1,410,905	511,357	19,784,102	28 1 8
1880	17,883,024	1,489,360	586,496	19,958,880	26 18 0
1881	20,308,017	1,427,202	971,501	22,706,720	29 3 2
1882	22,544,549	1,856,641	1,158,454	25,559,644	31 10 6
1883	23,739,134	1,822,319	1,183,519	26,744,972	31 3 7
1884	26,250,420	1,887,349	1,290,931	29,428,700	32 11 1
1885	26,709,386	2,016,656	1,471,894	30,197,936	31 10 6
1886	28,428,253	2,081,498	1,423,305	31,933,056	31 17 5
1887	29,253,863	2,174,439	1,501,454	32,929,756	31 11 6

No. 138.—Coin in Circulation and in Banks, with Average per head of Population, at the close of each year, 1870–87.

Year.	Coin in Banks.	Average.	Coin in Private Hands.	Average.	Total in Banks and in Private Hands.	Average.
	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.
1870	1,352,842	2 15 2	1,960,344	4 0 0	3,313,186	6 15 2
1871	2,413,144	4 15 0	2,004,036	3 18 10	4,417,180	8 13 10
1872	2,693,154	5 2 4	2,075,546	3 18 7	4,768,700	9 0 11
1873	1,970,075	3 12 5	2,191,794	4 0 6	4,161,869	7 12 11
1874	2,283,353	4 1 0	2,279,316	4 0 10	4,562,669	8 1 10
1875	2,525,698	4 6 5	2,179,326	3 14 7	4,705,024	8 1 0
1876	2,732,104	4 10 5	2,191,945	3 12 7	4,924,049	8 3 0
1877	2,435,126	3 17 5	2,394,750	3 16 2	4,829,876	7 13 7
1878	2,227,115	3 1 10	2,366,831	3 12 0	4,593,946	6 13 10
1879	3,102,345	4 9 10	2,417,377	3 10 0	5,519,722	7 19 10
1880	3,637,568	5 0 3	2,605,370	3 11 9	6,242,938	8 12 0
1881	2,885,890	3 16 0	3,104,397	4 1 7	5,990,287	7 17 7
1882	2,672,799	3 7 2	3,128,415	3 18 9	5,801,214	7 5 11
1883	2,861,980	3 12 7	2,989,137	3 11 7	5,851,117	7 4 2
1884	3,863,873	4 7 10	2,988,744	3 7 9	6,852,617	7 15 7
1885	4,069,840	4 7 5	3,250,082	3 9 9	7,319,922	7 17 2
1886	4,439,742	4 8 7	3,361,904	3 7 1	7,801,646	7 15 8
1887	5,108,996	4 18 0	3,745,980	3 11 10	8,854,976	8 9 10

No. 139.—Quantity and Value of Gold received into the Branch of the Royal Mint, from the several Gold Districts of the Colony, 1878–87.

Year.	Western District.		Southern District.		Northern District.		Unknown.		Total.		Year.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	
1878	46,725	172,739	25,566	97,729	19,670	54,147	15,385	58,126	107,348	382,741	1878
1879	42,308	153,714	23,335	88,413	14,815	52,897	26,442	101,329	106,900	396,353	1879
1880	43,077	159,374	25,167	96,595	16,448	58,649	31,977	119,719	116,669	434,337	1880
1881	47,310	175,383	42,013	163,320	12,831	44,581	43,324	166,634	145,478	549,918	1881
1882	40,948	153,774	48,294	189,653	14,300	49,323	25,600	98,490	129,142	491,240	1882
1883	39,587	138,887	30,589	117,612	9,193	32,177	42,408	162,090	121,777	450,766	1883
1884	38,821	140,203	26,711	101,019	7,447	26,459	31,954	118,988	104,933	386,669	1884
1885	35,319	127,479	21,683	79,414	4,646	16,530	32,342	117,379	93,990	342,802	1885
1886	38,753	140,150	18,764	67,915	7,611	25,740	26,727	96,974	91,855	330,779	1886
1887	40,294	143,756	16,266	59,827	7,811	27,202	40,898	145,003	105,269	375,788	1887

No. 140.—Royal Mint, Sydney Branch: New Silver and Bronze Coin issued, 1868-87.

Date	Silver Coin issued.								Bronze Coin issued.		
	Crowns.	Double Florins.	Half-crowns.	Florins.	Shillings.	Sixpences.	Three-pences.	Total.	Pence.	Half-pence.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1868 to 1877	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,000	3,000	17,000
1878	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	560	175	735
1879	.....	.....	17,000	15.972	12,000	3,681	4,647	53,300	680	230	910
1880	.....	.....	11,300	6,428	11,900	2,219	3,153	35,000	450	95	545
1881	.....	.....	14,600	10,600	12,000	3,600	2,700	43,500	300	410	710
1882	.....	.....	12,100	11,300	13,800	1,300	4,000	42,500	1,475	475	1,950
1883	.....	.....	11,200	9,300	13,000	2,400	3.700	39,600	1,015	360	1,375
1884	.....	.....	15,000	11,800	11,300	4,300	3,800	46,200	1,510	255	1,765
1885	.....	.....	11,100	7,200	12,450	5,550	7,600	43,900	2, 040	445	2,485
1886	.....	.....	2,600	200	5,500	1,450	7,650	17.400	870	225	1,095
1887	235	350	2,140	350	1,850	500	690	6,115	680	120	800
Total ... ... £	235	350	97,040	73,150	93,800	25,000	37,940	327,515	23,580	5,790	29,370

No. 141.—Worn Silver Coin withdrawn from Circulation, 1873–87.

Year.	Nominal Amount.		Actual Weight.		Net Loss.	
	Value.	Weight.	Before Melting.	After Melting.	Weight.	Proportional.
	£ s. d.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	per cent.
1873 to 1877...	41,497 9 5	150,899·88	129,341·31	129,306·14	21,593·74	14·31
1878	3,977 3 6	14,462·45	12,356·97	12,353·36	2,109·09	14·58
1879	9,324 0 0	33,905·44	29,328·45	29,320·15	4,585·29	13·52
1880	14,250 0 0	51,818·18	45,773·71	45,758·35	6,059·83	11·69
1881	7,700 0 0	28,000·00	24,596·40	24,578·05	3,421·95	12·22
1882	7,840 0 0	28,509·06	25,142·25	25,127·15	3,381·91	11·86
1883	6,577 13 0	23,918·67	21,076·85	21,064·80	2,853·87	11·93
1884	4,085 0 0	14,854·51	12,993·13	12,981·50	1,873·01	12·61
1885	4,530 0 0	16,472·70	14,574·30	14,562·15	1,910·55	11·60
1886	4,042 0 0	14,698·14	12,993·22	12,984·45	1,713·69	11·66
1887	4,850 0 0	17,636·30	15,545·95	15,532·65	2,103·65	11·93
Total ...£	108,673 5 11	395,175·33	343,722·54	343,568·75	51,606·58	13·06

No. 142.—Weight and Value of Gold Received for Coinage: Value of Gold Coin opening of the Mint, on the 14th May, 1855,

Year.	Gold received for Coinage.		Gold Coin and Gold Bullion issued.				
			Gold Coin.			Gold Bullion.	
	Weight.	Value.	Sovereigns.	Half-sovereigns.	Total.	Weight.	Value.
	oz.	£ s. d.	£	£	£	oz.	£ s. d.
1855 } 1875 }	10,355,855·80	39,965,835 15 6	36,045,500	1,933,500	37,979,000	484,936·140	1,935,081 2 6
1876...	431,905·27	1,605,557 19 8	1,613,000	30,000	1,643,000	2,129·789	8,292 17 4
1877...	438,385·50	1,608,248 2 8	1,590,000	.....	1,590,000	1,709·643	6,656 18 7
1878...	365,173·89	1,308,898 1 5	1,259,000	63,000	1,322,000	1,584·683	6,276 5 8
1879...	394,606·76	1,434,871 3 2	1,366,000	47,000	1,413,000	1,139·438	4,588 8 9
1880...	406,291·87	1,487,678 12 10	1,459,000	40,000	1,499,000	152·700	648 12 8
1881...	465,584·70	1,702,102 7 2	1,360,000	31,000	1,391,000	78,349·931	306,649 8 9
1882...	401,559·69	1,477,134 7 9	1,298,000	26,000	1,324,000	36,127·672	149,008 9 11
1883...	374,141·20	1,353,665 9 6	1,108,000	110,000	1,218,000	30,895·460	124,610 4 4
1884...	475,053·41	1,713,843 19 9	1,595,000	.....	1,595,000	16,680·440	70,591 18 1
1885...	422,160·20	1,510,061 10 3	1,486,000	.....	1,486,000	12,048·590	46,978 1 7
1886...	475,166·21	1,712,244 8 5	1,667,000	41,000	1,708,000	241·110	973 2 9
1887...	597,706·82	2,173,305 19 8	2,002,000	67,000	2,069,000	6,210·900	24,234 19 10
Total	15,603,591·32	59,053,447 17 9	53,848,500	2,388,500	56,237,000	672,206·496	2,684,590 10 9

No. 143.—Countries in which Gold, Received

Periods.	New South Wales.		Queensland.		New Zealand.		Victoria.	
	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.
	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£
1855 } 1876 }	5,854,449	22,493,389	1,693,969	6,100,405	1,750,261	6,877,753	1,437,453	5,904,855
1877 ...	121,593	459,201	310,247	1,126,315	1,674	4,656	133	226
1878 ...	107,348	382,741	234,723	838,880	16,009	61,439	72	142
1879 ...	106,900	396,353	239,925	848,250	38,146	156,437	65	61
1880 ...	116,670	434,337	224,144	787,063	63,987	260,733	22	20
1881 ...	145,478	549,918	251,476	876,856	57,804	233,891	19	19
1882 ...	129,142	491,240	199,866	698,233	36,888	149,162	91	180
1883 ...	121,777	450,766	196,679	679,794	33,764	138,395	11	11
1884 ...	104,933	386,670	310,996	1,094,702	25,789	106,432	88	211
1885 ...	93,990	340,802	300,108	1,063,808	1,561	4,726	60	239
1886 ...	91,855	330,779	329,357	1,169,128	34,519	139,615	80	110
1887 ...	105,269	375,788	426,110	1,530,348	53,101	218,083	49	99
Total ...	7,099,404	27,091,984	4,717,601	16,813,782	2,113,503	8,351,322	1,438,144	5,906,173

and Gold Bullion issued, and Revenue derived from Mint Charges, &c., from the to the 31st December, 1887.

Total Value of Gold Coin and Bullion issued.	Revenue.				Year.
	From Mint Charges.		From Silver.	From other sources.	Total.	
	On New South Wales Gold.	On Foreign Gold.				
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
39,914,081 2 6	233,111 7 9	96,661 16 9	15,743 1 9	40,003 12 1	385,519 18 4	1855 to 1875
1,651,292 17 4	3,941 8 10	3,687 10 5	1,179 10 10	1,687 14 1	10,496 4 2	1876
1,596,656 18 7	3,316 9 11	3,691 11 8	2,612 3 4	1,282 14 9	10,902 19 8	1877
1,328,276 5 8	2,944 3 9	2,888 18 11	2,012 3 2	1,964 14 2	9,810 0 0	1878
1,417,588 8 9	2,535 12 1	2,961 14 1	2,202 4 1	1,670 0 8	9,369 10 11	1879
1,499,648 12 8	2,247 11 3	2,371 10 11	3,936 13 8	1,656 16 0	10,212 11 10	1880
1,697,649 8 9	2,622 17 4	2,601 4 4	3,631 12 11	1,599 6 10	10,455 1 5	1881
1,473,008 9 11	2,520 12 0	2,165 6 2	3,000 15 2	1,300 3 8	8,986 17 0	1882
1,342,610 4 4	2,174 15 3	1,733 2 7	2,472 5 11	628 6 9	7,008 10 6	1883
1,665,591 18 1	1,961 0 0	2,820 0 6	3,203 5 10	581 7 8	8,565 14 0	1884
1,532,978 1 7	1,785 15 8	2,661 11 10	2,606 11 5	577 8 0	7,631 6 11	1885
1,708,973 2 9	1,870 16 11	3,080 6 1	2,000 6 9	945 11 10	7,897 1 7	1886
2,093,234 19 10	2,119 6 3	4,003 2 6	2,796 3 0	1,409 15 10	10,328 7 7	1887
58,921,590 10 9	263,151 17 0	131,327 16 9	47,396 17 10	55,307 12 4	497,184 3 11	Total

for Coinage at the Mint, was produced, 1855–87.

Tasmania.		South Australia.		Other Countries.		Coin.		Total.		Period.
Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	
oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	
5,692	21,983	443	1,596	8,118	29,196	37,376	142,217	10,787,761	41,571,394	1855 to 1876
...	.....	822	2,807	374	1,327	3,543	13,717	438,385	1,608,248	1877
27	101	465	1,522	2,593	8,845	3,938	15,226	365,174	1,308,896	1878
1	4	1,444	5,118	861	467	7,264	28,181	394,607	1,434,871	1879
109	419	608	2,231	3	9	750	2,866	406,292	1,487,678	1880
...	.....	2,786	10,217	.....	.....	8,021	31,202	465,585	1,702,103	1881
82	326	509	1,830	37	137	34,944	136,027	401,560	1,477,135	1882
72	282	2,189	7,931	.....	.....	19,649	76,487	374,141	1,353,666	1883
131	510	13,619	49,549	80	173	19,419	75,596	475,053	1,713,843	1884
31	126	10,458	38,299	92	340	15,860	61,722	422,160	1,510,062	1885
12	46	8,581	30,704	302	1,142	10,460	40,719	475,166	1,712,243	1886
5,633	20,981	5,626	20,790	1,694	6,348	225	869	597,707	2,173,306	1887
11,789	44,778	47,549	172,593	14,154	47,984	161,448	624,829	15,603,592	59,053,445	Total

No. 144.—Estimates of Gold, the Produce

Year.	New South Wales.[a]		New Zealand.[b]		Queensland.[c]		South
	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.
	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.
1851 } 1875 } ...	8,415,572	31,175,174	7,955,344	30,987,723	1,889,458	6,940,406	24,687
1876	155,166	581,689	318,367	1,268,559	374,776	1,427,929	9,858
1877	122,629	463,130	371,685	1,496,080	353,266	1,307,084	11,811
1878	117,978	423,184	310,486	1,240,079	283,592	1,052,490	10,746
1879	107,640	399,187	284,100	1,134,641	281,552	1,023,237	14,251
1880	116,751	434,641	303,215	1,220,263	228,120	820,643	13,246
1881	145,532	550,111	250,683	996,867	259,782	925,012	16,976
1882	129,233	491,594	230,893	921,664	230,090	829,655	15,668
1883	121,257	452,611	222,899	892,445	193,994	698,138	15,938
1884	105,933	390,229	246,392	988,953	261,824	923,010	21,455
1885	100,667	366,388	222,732	890,056	308,348	1,119,170	18,327
1886	98,446	355,600	227,079	903,569	341,551	1,232,330	21,115
1887	108,102	386,771	203,869	811,100	425,923	1,490,730	37,371
Total ...	9,845,906	36,470,310	11,147,744	43,751,999	5,432,276	19,789,834	231,449

[a] "Gold raised, and value." [b] New Zealand Statistics. Statistical Summary of the Colony of New Zealand. Exports, the Queensland. [d] The amount of South Australian Gold received for coinage at the Sydney and Melbourne Mints. [e] Statistics Victoria.

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Australia.[d]	Tasmania.[e]		Victoria.[f]		Total.		Year.
Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	
£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	
87,695	28,802	111,786	45,509,964	182,039,854	63,823,827	251,342,638	1851–1875
34,135	11,107	44,923	963,760	3,855,040	1,833,034	7,212,275	1876
41,946	5,777	23,289	809,653	3,238,612	1,674,821	6,570,141	1877
36,654	25,249	100,000	775,272	3,101,088	1,523,323	5,953,495	1878
50,429	60,155	230,895	758,947	3,035,788	1,506,645	5,874,177	1879
48,441	52,595	201,297	829,121	3,316,484	1,543,048	6,041,769	1880
61,889	56,693	216,901	858,850	3,435,400	1,588,516	6,186,180	1881
55,743	49,122	187,337	898,536	3,594,144	1,553,542	6,080,137	1882
58,600	46,577	176,442	810,047	3,240,188	1,411,712	5,518,424	1883
75,036	42,340	160,404	778,618	3,114,472	1,456,562	5,652,104	1884
65,443	41,241	155,309	735,218	2,940,872	1,426,533	5,537,238	1885
74,596	31,015	117,250	665,196	2,660,784	1,384,402	5,344,129	1886
140,345	42,609	158,533	617,751	2,471,004	1,435,625	5,458,483	1887
830,954	493,282	1,884,366	55,010,933	220,043,730	82,161,590	322,771,190	Total.

produce of New Zealand. [e] Statistics of Queensland. Statistical View of Queensland. Exports (seaward), the produce of of the Colony of Tasmania. Total value of Gold produced. [f] Victorian Year Book. Quantity and value of Gold raised in

No. 145.—Quantity and Value of Gold, the Produce of New South Wales, 1851–87.

Years.	Received at the Mint for Coinage.		Exported without passing through the Mint.		Estimated Produce of the Colony.	
	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.
	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£
1851	.....	.....	144,120·88	468,336	144,120·88	468,336
1852	.....	.....	818,751·93	2,660,946	818,751·93	2,660,946
1853	.....	.....	548,052·99	1,781,172	548,052·99	1,781,172
1854	.....	.....	237,910·70	773,209	237,910·70	773,209
1855	106,983·00	408,656	63,162·73	204,492	170,145·73	613,148
1856	142,137·36	530,598	41,809·00	135,457	183,946·36	666,055
1857	126,950·79	487,440	34,092·47	129,272	161,043·26	616,712
1858	272,825·65	1,050,340	7,732·28	32,525	280,557·93	1,082,865
1859	308,183·41	1,178,114	15,800·61	59,548	323,984·02	1,237,662
1860	352,222·78	1,341,431	29,391·18	103,727	381,613·96	1,445,158
1861	414,861·84	1,608,277	45,017·42	163,578	459,879·26	1,771,855
1862	587,895·24	2,262,472	29,014·47	97,911	616,909·71	2,360,383
1863	401,713·25	1,545,419	65,685·80	246,115	467,399·05	1,791,534
1864	308,670·64	1,181,898	33,283·48	122,837	341,954·12	1,304,735
1865	300,277·57	1,153,215	64,263·06	237,588	364,540·63	1,390,803
1866	269,239·71	1,005,513	18,294·58	67,733	287,534·29	1,103,246
1867	259,556·92	1,005,570	9,850·43	37,888	269,407·35	1,043,458
1868	232,488·66	904,422	26,284·75	98,580	258,773·41	1,003,002
1869	179,549·24	694,022	72,580·90	273,603	252,130·14	967,625
1870	143,709·44	552,744	96,692·42	363,665	240,401·86	916,409
1871	242,596·91	935,041	78,871·79	296,970	321,468·70	1,232,011
1872	331,273·19	1,278,127	92,827·04	356,694	424,100·23	1,634,821
1873	259,579·77	997,215	101,270·20	392,490	360,849·97	1,389,705
1874	233,216·59	895,148	37,493·53	143,696	270,710·12	1,038,844
1875	226,985·50	872,162	2,400·05	9,318	229,385·55	881,480
1876	153,531·48	575,565	1,634·89	6,124	155,166·37	581,689
1877	121,593·38	459,201	1,035·86	3,929	122,629·24	463,130
1878	107,347·97	382,741	10,629·91	40,443	117,977·88	423,184
1879	106,899·88	396,353	740·50	2,834	107,640·38	399,187
1880	116,669·52	434,337	81·00	304	116,750·52	434,641
1881	145,478·06	549,918	53·99	193	145,532·05	550,111
1882	129,142·28	491,240	91·00	354	129,233·28	491,594
1883	121,777·38	450,766	479·20	1,845	122,256·58	452,611
1884	104,932·68	386,669	1,000·75	3,560	105,933·43	390,229
1885	93,990·36	340,802	6,676·80	25,586	100,667·16	366,388
1886	91,854·72	330,779	6,591·55	24,821	98,446·27	355,600
1887	105,268·71	375,788	2,832·75	10,983	108,101·46	386,771
Grand Total ...	7,099,403·88	27,091,984	2,746,502·89	9,378,326	9,845,906·77	36,470,310

No. 146.—Value of property left by persons who died, 1863–87.

Year.	Probates Granted.		Letters of Administration.		Total.		Year.
	Number.	Amount Sworn to.	Number.	Amount Sworn to.	Number.	Amount Sworn to.	
		£		£		£	
*1863	116	257,711	68	72,024	184	329,735	*1863
*1864	218	697,630	159	101,488	377	799,118	*1864
†1865	219	713,972	148	130,781	367	844,753	†1865
1866	266	500,285	160	133,259	426	633,544	1866
1867	237	486,074	150	203,744	387	689,818	1867
1868	236	491,437	201	125,498	437	616,935	1868
1869	260	334,829	202	363,902	462	698,731	1869
1870	247	539,583	181	81,451	428	621,034	1870
1871	285	498,166	190	111,046	475	609,212	1871
1872	300	569,069	222	98,870	522	667,939	1872
1873	356	740,961	281	149,653	637	890,614	1873
1874	386	948,361	299	268,173	685	1,216,534	1874
†1875	482	1,286,979	426	169,969	908	1,456,848	†1875
*1876	511	1,677,972	415	223,189	926	1,901,161	*1876
*1877	530	1,336,599	471	291,391	1,001	1,627,990	*1877
*1878	573	1,735,064	514	281,367	1,087	2,016,431	*1878
*1879	579	2,116,906	472	269,992	1,051	2,386,898	*1879
*1880	667	1,323,823	506	210,816	1,173	1,534,639	*1880
†1881	671	2,011,305	526	307,818	1,197	2,319,123	†1881
1882	810	3,586,554	589	581,528	1,399	4,168,082	1882
1883	862	3,528,602	613	588,029	1,475	4,116,631	1883
1884	933	3,642,709	648	605,543	1,581	4,248,252	1884
1885	961	3,721,805	659	601,542	1,620	4,323,347	1885
1886	1,026	4,726,918	706	768,628	1,732	5,495,546	1886
1887	961	3,621,874	665	641,426	1,626	4,263,300	1887

*Stamp duties were not levied during these years. † Stamp duties were levied during portion only of these years.

No. 147.—Number and Amount of Discharges of Mortgages on Land and Conveyances under Mortgage, 1876–87.

Year.	Discharges of Mortgages on Land.		Conveyances under Mortgage.	
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1876	1,101	600,834 16 11	110	63,393 14 10
1877	1,902	1,123,138 15 0	334	238,094 18 11
1878	1,350	896,445 8 9	248	158,784 2 8
1879	1,235	868,524 2 10	223	131,509 13 10
1880	1,860	715,147 15 0	260	133,739 5 8
1881	2,386	1,926,357 7 0	198	92,677 3 4
1882	2,051	1,676,223 17 8	151	67,620 5 4
1883	1,388	1,433,911 19 8	132	58,749 7 0
1884	2,216	1,957,764 14 10	132	126,685 8 9
1885	3,473	2,239,074 14 0	122	122,950 19 7
1886	2,773	2,515,398 5 0	195	122,478 17 4
1887	3,067	2,909,930 19 3	297	143,673 13 10

No. 148.—Number and Amount of Mortgages on Land Registered in the Colony, 1876–87.

Year.	Lent on Town Lands.		Lent on Suburban Lands.		Lent on Town and Country Lands.		Lent on Country Lands.		Total.	
	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1876	971	639,814 14 2	660	310,663 7 11	7	10,609 0 0	488	441,670 19 8	2,126	1,402,848 1 9
1877	518	533.589 11 9	660	304,714 8 2	8	8,418 16 0	572	462,051 15 4	1,758	1,308,774 11 3
1878	1,071	856,315 16 9	777	381,148 15 8	13	8,125 13 0	579	735,890 16 11	2,440	1,981,481 2 4
1879	1,159	920,337 3 8	930	477,041 12 6	12	23.539 18 6	708	1,041,045 8 6	2,809	2,461,964 3 2
1880	1,180	938,316 4 3	1,374	568,643 18 11	9	86,918 0 0	432	2,455,073 14 6	2,995	4,048,951 17 8
1881	1,283	1,364,470 19 10	1,218	676,900 19 1	18	13.981 9 1	1,986	3,213,095 12 1	4,505	5,268,449 0 1
1882	990	1,326,682 16 9	1,405	903,046 19 10	12	14,103 0 0	1,752	2,680,762 13 6	4,159	4,924,595 10 1
1883	1,030	1,541,110 1 10	1,640	983,949 14 8	2	4,146 0 0	1,416	3,330,266 3 6	4,088	5,859,472 0 0
1884	1,677	1,490,139 5 3	1,518	919,340 11 2	68	82,212 9 8	1,390	3,128,728 13 0	4,653	5,620,420 19 1
1885	1,190	1,608,133 9 4	2,500	1,643,886 2 8	21	118,002 15 6	3,907	7,990,085 14 3	7,618	11,360,108 1 9
1886	1,618	3,085,757 2 10	2,089	1,438,276 5 10	31	254,864 14 0	3,195	2,791,312 5 9	6,933	7,570,210 8 5
1887	951	1,228,308 17 1	2,400	1,565,754 12 7	26	83,483 0 9	2,731	2,991,755 17 0	6,108	5,869,302 7 5

No. 149.—Applications, with the Amount of Fees, &c., under the Real Property Act, 1876–87.

Year.	No. of Applications.	No. of Properties.	Area.			Value.	Fees.			
			Town and Suburban.	Country.	Total.		Assurance.	Commissioners.	Certificates and other Dealings.	Total.
			a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876	241	339	1,148 1 38	5,366 0 4	6,514 2 2	220,166	458 7 2	297 0 0	5,674 4 8	6,429 11 10
1877	240	342	897 1 14	5,904 2 23	6,801 3 37	210,431	440 7 4	332 15 0	6,603 3 0	7,376 5 4
1878	203	377	684 1 18	6,840 0 15	7,524 1 33	153,195	322 15 9	514 10 0	7,347 16 0	8,185 1 9
1879	138	224	482 2 30	18,686 1 4	19,168 3 34	157,146	327 7 9	200 0 0	7,912 11 0	8,439 18 9
1880	191	307	843 3 18	13,930 3 28	14,774 3 6	205,616	428 8 0	295 0 0	10,120 9 8	10,843 17 8
1881	298	396	4,395 3 12	13,119 1 8	17,515 0 20	701,804	1,462 2 9	535 5 0	13,054 5 0	15,050 12 9
1882	287	480	2,497 1 10	52,439 3 39	54,937 1 9	837,883	1,746 15 0	538 11 8	14,617 1 8	16,002 8 4
1883	264	406	1,772 1 19	20,233 2 20	22,005 3 39	803,553	1,661 5 4	495 15 0	14,883 19 8	17,041 0 0
1884	276	466	1,420 2 17	29,999 3 6	31,420 1 23	607,928	1,266 10 8	540 15 0	16,485 9 1	18,292 14 8
1885	303	447	2,253 1 2	28,977 0 30	31,230 1 32	1,157,000	2,421 3 9	620 15 0	18,583 19 8	21,625 18 5
1886	270	362	1,370 2 5	12,694 3 12	14,065 1 17	723,641	1,507 12 3	514 0 0	18,796 18 0	20,818 10 3
1887	343	630	1,665 0 6	45,653 1 3	47,318 1 9	1,140,155	2,375 7 1	648 5 0	18,713 14 4	21,737 6 5

No. 150.—Area, Value, &c., of Crown Grants Registered, &c., under the Real Property Act, 1876–87.

Year.	Number of Grants.	Area.			Value.	Assurance.
		Town and Suburban.	Country.	Total.		
		a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876	5,275	798 3 11	659,212 3 33	660,011 3 4	671,353 18 11	1,400 14 2
1877	9,107	1,248 2 4¼	1,173,037 3 12¼	1,174,286 1 16½	1,204,648 3 0	2,512 2 4
1878	13,303	1,038 2 12½	2,038,124 3 2	2,039,163 1 14½	2,068,908 4 10	3,314 2 4
1879	19,655	2,731 3 8	2,781,788 1 29	2,784,520 0 37	3,063,849 3 9	6,389 0 10
1880	5,683	1,414 0 17¾	567,745 3 31½	569,160 0 9¼	653,779 8 10	1,371 10 10
1881	7,406	1,641 1 36	908,225 1 0	909,866 2 36	1,002,402 12 9	2,092 19 7
1882	8,965	2,146 3 33¼	1,255,302 0 6¾	1,257,449 0 0	1,402,721 14 4	2,924 16 1
1883	8,200	1,636 1 36¼	1,038,921 3 34	1,040,558 1 30¼	1,301,850 17 11	2,714 2 11
1884	5,829	3,283 0 26¾	394,643 3 21	397,927 0 7¾	498,481 8 2	1,040 8 1
1885	4,006	800 3 35$\frac{3}{25}$	502,764 1 20	503,565 1 15$\frac{3}{25}$	666,169 16 10	1,388 13 0
1886	4,447	1,872 3 35½	397,414 2 7	399,287 2 2½	562,958 19 9	1,174 1 9
1887	4,350	2,419 0 31½	380,230 0 25½	382,649 1 17	470,660 18 0	981 15 6

No. 151.—Number of Insolvencies in the Colony, with Amount of Liabilities, Assets, &c., 1876–87.

Year.	Number of Insolvents.			Amount of Liabilities, as shown in the Insolvents' Schedules.	Amount of Assets, as shown in the Insolvents' Schedules.	Number of Assignees elected by Creditors to act with the Official Assignee.	Amount of Deficiency shown in the Insolvents' Estates.	Amount of Court Fees in Insolvency collected under the Act of Council and paid at the Treasury.
	Voluntary.	Compulsory.	Total.					
	No.	No.	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876	461	41	502	492,846 12 0	169,603 7 8	2	323,243 4 4	1,738 17 0
1877	534	54	588	508,352 10 4	210,821 4 1	2	297,531 6 3	1,850 4 0
1878	652	64	716	664,736 5 4	350,176 9 2	.....	314,559 16 2	2,326 3 0
1879	767	96	863	781,334 4 3	306,103 8 7	.....	475,230 15 8	2,397 8 8
1880	784	50	834	479,863 13 11	292,233 0 6	.....	187,630 13 5	2,524 12 4
1881	664	60	724	379,289 12 11	218,211 15 8	.....	161,077 17 3	2,067 11 0
1882	686	48	734	307,083 15 10	167,875 17 8	.....	139,207 18 2	2,303 11 6
1883	720	65	785	444,593 16 3	245,836 4 1	3	189,757 12 2	2,680 18 10
1884	856	62	918	836,164 17 4	580,194 10 3	2	255,970 7 1	2,993 15 6
1885	849	80	929	773,212 4 8	589,358 15 4	2	183,853 9 4	3,123 19 2
1886	1,116	105	1,221	989,261 17 8	733,127 5 4	1	256,134 12 4	4,035 9 11
1887	1,249	102	1,351	1,081,726 2 8	788,941 7 1	2	292,784 15 7	4,284 4 9

No. 152.—Number and Amount of Preferable Liens on Wool and of Mortgages on Live Stock, Registered in the Colony, 1876–87.

Year.	Preferable Liens on Wool.			Mortgages on Live Stock.				
	No. of Liens.	No. of Sheep.	Amount of Liens.	No. of Mortgages.	No. of Sheep.	No. of Horned Cattle.	No. of Horses.	Amount Lent.
			£ s. d.					£ s. d.
1876	920	4,828,951	752,818 18 9	758	2,480,004	258,447	5,847	2,157,834 18 8
1877	994	4,386,378	627,779 9 7	1,994	2,565,962	185,796	6,726	2,004,363 2 10
1878	1,027	4,611,696	714,272 16 1	914	2,647,183	183,210	8,412	2,059,348 9 9
1879	1,246	6,602,742	1,005,118 4 6	925	3,538,161	128,685	9,564	2,268,850 5 1
1880	1,479	6,216,741	981,171 19 8	901	4,858,265	183,555	401	2,818,967 1 1
1881	1,609	5,709,061	904,011 13 9	1,275	5,982,994	215,564	9,646	4,623,914 19 3
1882	1,289	4,837,667	801,174 10 5	1,074	3,865,331	112,441	8,391	3,391,984 3 10
1883	1,301	6,349,801	1,026,573 18 4	1,077	3,601,890	131,068	7,389	2,486,407 10 5
1884	1,379	4,168,185	973,179 7 1	1,471	2,696,994	77,241	8,097	1,881,082 9 2
1885	1,236	5,263,407	1,327,214 0 0	1,431	4,730,233	117,241	10,764	2,962,471 7 0
1886	1,187	9,049,194	1,454,154 0 0	1,363	4,323,553	79,616	10,349	2,404,813 0 0
1887	1,285	9,296,975	1,685,655 0 0	1,563	3,954,286	79,312	11,464	2,054,785 0 0

N.B.—When any sum has been secured, both by a Lien on the Wool and by a Mortgage of the Sheep, the amount is included under the head of Mortgages only.

No. 153.—Number and Amount on Discharges of Mortgages on Live Stock, Registered in the Colony, 1876–87.

Year.	Number.	Amount.	Year.	Number.	Amount.
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.
1876	190	1,028,079 4 2	1882	258	1,900,443 5 9
1877	225	1,292,703 3 6	1883	126	600,425 19 3
1878	159	1,037,119 1 11	1884	306	3,801,352 2 1
1879	161	1,247,708 4 11	1885	208	1,173,672 11 0
1880	232	3,804,475 5 11	1886	150	849,742 0 0
1881	399	2,781,122 2 2	1887	210	1,073,674 0 0

No. 154.—Number and Amount of Liens on Growing Crops, Registered in the Colony, 1876–87.

Year.	Number.	Amount.	Year.	Number.	Amount.
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.
1876	319	16,418 14 2	1882	854	40,378 12 7
1877	477	27,086 8 6	1883	814	50,789 5 5
1878	539	43,186 6 7½	1884	888	54,056 16 4
1879	778	55,869 1 4	1885	857	71,153 0 0
1880	797	81,625 19 11	1886	989	70,212 0 0
1881	897	42,255 3 7	1887	949	67,379 0 0

No. 155.—Number of Post Offices, &c., in New South Wales, and Letters, Offices,

Year.	Number of Post Offices.	Number of Receiving Offices.	Number of Persons employed.	Number of Miles travelled by Mail Conveyance.	Extent of Postal Lines in Miles.	Number of Letters.			Number of
						Foreign.	Inland.	Town.	Foreign.
1876	782	18	1,090	3,891,906	18,418	1,852,400	9,986,000	2,628,500	1,508,300
1877	810	48	1,180	4,095,530	19,508	1,979,500	11,579,500	2,950,000	1,652,000
1878	847	75	1,272	4,389,925	20,176	2,220,600	12,782,900	3,156,400	1,657,600
1879	884	101	1,452	4,776,925	21,368	2,442,700	13,772,600	3,192,000	2,020,000
1880	927	119	1,536	5,246,373	22,427	2,776,000	18,956,500		2,381,200
1881	973	155	1,691	5,467,182	23,094	3,159,400	23,196,200		2,726,400
1882	1,005	169	1,824	5,861,317	23,923	3,589 200	25,737,300		2,720,600
1883	1,046	188	1,960	6,264,300	25,162	4,168,100	31,258,300		3,014,500
1884	1,085	206	2,076	6,509,446	26,430	4,947,200	37,289,800		3,689,600
1885	1,115	202	2,155	6,621,996	26,683	5,328,200	34,023,000		3,987,900
1886	1,157	217	2,307	6,891,200	27,094	5,582,700	37,267,200		4,276,300
1887	1,167	263	2,363	7,015,600	27,514	5,624,000	39,221,900		4,744,400

No. 156.—Number and Amount of Money Orders issued and paid, and Commission, 1876–87.

Year.	Issued.		Paid.		Commission.
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876...	112,684	465,770 10 11	101,492	421,161 15 8	4,663 1 6
1877...	129,120	494,468 19 2	120,493	450,476 15 9	5,247 18 6
1878...	142,025	538,799 17 8	129,143	487,458 6 3	5,772 0 6
1879...	159,897	582,422 14 8	142,201	515,075 17 11	6,487 13 0
1880...	190,606	669,022 3 5	168,944	583,340 1 1	7,684 6 0
1881...	220,670	771,977 15 3	195,757	675,025 9 10	8,799 8 0
1882...	247,716	883,523 14 5	218,334	771,860 10 4	10,027 9 0
1883...	275,592	963,698 8 8	239,595	829,770 0 5	11,370 14 0
1884...	305,883	1,068,068 5 3	270,678	921,904 6 7	12,650 18 0
1885...	337,856	1,169,569 5 10	298,082	997,960 19 1	14,243 5 6
1886...	345,825	1,134,954 18 1	309,576	982,335 11 5	14,927 1 0
1887...	360,759	1,131,883 17 0	330,594	1,010,296 13 11	14,960 7 6

Newspapers, Packets, & Book Parcels, &c., passing through the various Post 1876–87.

Newspapers.	Packets and Book Parcels.		Total.			Income.	Expenditure. (Includes the estimated outstanding Liabilities for the year.)	Year.
Inland.	Inland.	Foreign.	Letters.	Newspapers.	Packets, &c.			
						£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
5,408,900	304,400	109,500	14,466,900	6,917,200	413,900	128,641 16 11	206,798 13 7	1876
6,733,000	263,600	135,000	16,509,000	8,385,000	398,600	154,170 18 3	226,305 5 6	1877
7,811,600	403,700	133,100	18,159,900	9,469,200	536,800	155,621 19 6	248,216 11 8	1878
9,447,100	459,200	136,300	19,407,300	11,467,100	595,500	171,366 17 0	263,787 17 6	1879
11,409,800	565,000	146,600	21,732,500	13,791,800	711,600	194,084 8 7	268,128 0 0	1880
13,801,500	670,800	180,500	26,355,600	16,527,900	851,300	205,446 7 11	273,451 5 11	1881
15,361,700	1,044,200	218,600	29,326,500	18,082,300	1,262,800	229,910 15 1	288,186 9 4	1882
16,562,800	1,379,200	269,700	35,426,400	19,577,300	1,648,900	261,812 16 3	326,674 0 5	1883
21,373,900	2,705,900	316,200	42,237,000	25,063,500	3,022,100	289,192 3 11	351,253 11 9	1884
21,579,500	2,894,200	552,600	39,351,200	25,567,400	3,446,800	316,171 12 11	375,964 17 6	1885
25,256,100	3,983,000	865,800	42,849,900	29,532,400	4,848,800	330,591 0 0	396,710 1 3	1886
29,437,200	4,549,900	980,800	44,845,900	34,181,600	5,530,700	342,093 14 4	426,586 18 5	1887

No. 157.—Number and Value of Telegrams; Length of Line, Cost of Construction and Revenue received, 1877–87.

Year.	No. of Stations.	No. of Telegrams.	Receipts.		Revenue received.	No. of Miles of Wire.	Cost of Construction.
			Amount for Telegrams.	Total.			
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1877	190	1,001,884	65,645 6 0	96,357 10 2	65,645 6 0	9,761	343,973 4 8
1878	236	1,132,287	98,125 8 7	98,125 8 7	76,226 18 11	11,760	413,258 4 2
1879	273	1,175,218	103,033 4 9	103,033 4 9	80,490 0 6	12,426	437,120 5 3
1880	289	1,319,537	123,172 4 5	123,172 4 5	84,110 4 8	13,188	462,225 12 0
1881	318	1,607,206	125,335 17 2	125,335 17 2	98,664 17 4	14,278	492,211 6 5
1882	345	1,965,931	153,554 11 4	153,554 11 4	120,265 13 4	15,901	536,399 10 3
1883	368	2,107,288	165,276 4 10	165,276 4 10	134,643 2 4	17,272	564,315 19 4
1884	394	2,334,052	176,260 13 7	176,260 13 7	146,386 8 2	18,681	601,459 13 2
1885	404	2,625,992	191,191 17 4	191,191 17 4	155,073 10 3	19,864	641,669 0 7
1886	425	2,661,126	184,053 6 0	184,053 6 0	158,127 14 0	20,797	666,028 6 11
1887	434	2,876,504	187,857 15 6	187,857 15 6	164,510 15 3	21,444	684,600 2 4

NOTE.—In 1877 the Balance on Intercolonial business and Guaranteed Lines, &c., was £30,712 4s. 2d., including £28,146 3s. 3d. for Foreign and New Zealand Telegrams.

No. 158.—Number of Letters, Newspapers, Telegrams, Money Orders, &c., received and despatched per head of population, 1876-87.

Year.	Post Office.			Telegrams.	Money Orders
	Letters.	Newspapers.	Packets, &c.		
1876	23·9	11·4	·7	1·4	·3
1877	26·2	13·3	·6	1·6	·4
1878	29·1	14·3	·8	1·7	·4
1879	28·9	16·6	·9	1·7	·4
1880	29·9	19·0	1·0	1·8	·5
1881	34·6	21·7	1·1	2·1	·5
1882	36·9	22·9	1·6	2·5	·6
1883	42·5	23·5	1·9	2·5	·6
1884	47·9	28·4	3·4	2·6	·7
1885	42·3	27·5	3·7	2·8	·7
1886	43·7	30·1	4·9	2·8	·7
1887	43·8	33·4	5·4	2·8	·7

No. 159.—Metropolitan Tramways—Capital expended, and Interest Returns on Capital, 1880–87.

Year.	Miles of Line.	Capital cost of Construction, &c.	Interest return on Capital.
		£	per cent.
1880	4·0	60,218	12·34
1881	9·5	169,450	6·16
1882	22·0	412,561	6·80
1883	25·0	544,105	2·22
1884	27·5	643,111	0·76
1885	27·5	708,109	2·17
1886	29·0	812,170	3·03
1887	31·0	825,159	1·97

No. 160.—Tramways: Earnings and Expenditure, 1879–87.

Year.	Total Length of Lines in Miles.	Capital Expended on Lines open for Traffic.	Capital Expended on Extensions not opened.	Total Capital Expended.	General Total of Passengers' Tickets.	Value of Fares received.	Tonnage of Goods.	Amount for Goods.	Miscellaneous Receipts.	Total Earnings.	Expenditure for Working Expenses.	Net Earnings over Working Expenses.
		£	£	£	No.	£ s. d.	tons. cwt. qr. lb.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1879	1½	22,061	.....	22,061	443,341	4,416 8 4	.....	.....	.....	4,416 8 4	2,277 16 10	2,138 11 6
1880	4½	60,218	1,683	61,901	2,086,897	18,968 2 11	.....	.....	12 1 6	18,980 4 5	13,443 18 6	5,536 5 11
1881	11¼	181,659	38,659	220,318	7,090,125	61,921 6 10	.....	.....	627 12 9	62,548 19 7	52,106 17 7	10,442 2 0
1882	29½	447,939	10,206	458,145	15,296,238	127,123 18 5	5,621 4 2 11	864 17 6	365 12 11	128,354 8 10	120,180 17 11	8,173 10 1
1883	32½	579,439	104,686	648,125	25,713,433	190,208 14 5	11,315 4 1 0	1,492 9 9	2,227 15 9	193,928 19 11	183,217 15 0	10,711 4 11
1884	35	683,179	106,320	789,499	30,231,382	218,884 12 3	9,603 10 3 13	1,607 6 9	2,961 18 10	223,453 17 10	215,085 12 7	8,368 5 3
1885	35	748,506	142,217	890,723	39,620,614	220,331 18 10	13,961 5 2 12	1,936 7 11	4,875 19 2	227,144 5 11	207,897 17 10	19,246 8 1
1886	36½	854,260	131,342	985,602	*53,973,311	230,373 17 1	14,165 7 1 12	1,885 10 2	1,883 9 7	234,142 16 10	207,635 9 3	26,507 7 7
1887	51	917,995	105,640	1,023,635	52,159,808	225,763 17 3	17,263 17 2 18	2,096 5 2	1,912 2 0	229,772 4 5	211,721 17 6	18,050 6 11

* The excessive increase is due to the change in the value of tickets and the abolition of cash fares.

No. 161.—Government Railways.—Earnings, Working Expenses, Capital Invested on Lines Open, and Interest on Capital, 1855-87.

Year.	Length of Line, 31 December.	Number of Passengers.	Tonnage of Goods.	Earnings from Coaching Traffic.	Earnings from Goods Traffic.	Total Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Earnings per Train Mile.	Working Expenses per Train Mile.	Percentage of Working Expenses to Gross Earnings.	Net Earnings.	Capital Expended on Lines Open.	Interest on Capital.
	Miles.	No.	Tons.	£	£	£	£	d.	d.	℔ cent.	£	£	℔ cent.
1855 ...	14	98,846	140	9,093	156	9,249	5,959	157·34	101·37	64·43	3,290	515,347	·638
1856 ...	23	350,724	2,469	29,526	2,757	32,283	21,788	113·32	76·48	67·49	10,495	683,217	1·536
1857 ...	40	329,019	20,847	34,970	8,417	43,387	31,338	96·58	69·75	72·23	12,050	1,023,838	1·176
1858 ...	55	376,492	33,385	45,858	16,451	62,309	43,928	105·69	74·51	70·50	18,381	1,231,867	1·492
1859 ...	55	425,877	43,020	46,502	15,258	61,760	47,598	100·41	77·38	77·07	14,162	1,278,416	1·107
1860 ...	70	551,044	55,394	45,428	16,841	62,269	50,427	83·37	67·52	80·98	11,841	1,422,672	·832
1861 ...	73	595,591	101,130	49,637	25,367	75,004	61,187	83·77	68·34	81·58	13,817	1,536,032	·899
1862 ...	97	642,431	205,139	62,096	41,775	103,871	68,725	90·79	60·07	66·16	35,146	1,907,807	1·842
1863 ...	124	627,164	218,535	71,297	52,644	123,941	96,867	94·38	73·76	78·16	27,073	2,466,950	1·097
1864 ...	143	693,174	379,661	81,487	66,167	147,653	103,715	85·30	59·92	70·24	43,938	2,631,790	1·669
1865 ...	143	751,587	416,707	92,984	73,048	166,032	108,926	82·42	54·07	65·60	57,106	2,746,373	2·079
1866 ...	143	668,330	500,937	85,636	82,899	168,535	106,230	82·49	51·99	63·64	62,305	2,786,094	2·236
1867 ...	204	616,375	517,022	87,564	101,508	189,072	117,324	82·02	46·87	62·08	71,748	3,282,320	2·185
1868 ...	247	714,563	596,514	99,408	124,951	224·359	144,201	70·06	45·03	64·29	80,158	4,060,950	1·973
1869 ...	318	759,635	714,113	109,427	155,548	264,975	176,362	71·17	47·37	66·57	88,613	4,681,329	1·892
1870 ...	339	776,707	766,523	117,854	189,288	307,142	206,003	81·81	54·86	67·08	101,139	5.566,092	1·817

No. 161—*continued.*

Year.	Length of Line, 31 December.	Number of Passengers.	Tonnage of Goods.	Earnings from Coaching Traffic.	Earnings from Goods Traffic.	Total Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Earnings per Train Mile.	Working Expenses per Train Mile.	Percentage of Working Expenses to Gross Earnings.	Net Earnings.	Capital Expended on Lines Open.	Interest on Capital.
	Miles.	No.	Tons.	£	£	£	£	d.	d.	℔ cent.	£	£	℔ cent.
1871 ...	358	759,062	741,986	129,496	225,826	355,322	197,065	91·57	50·79	55·46	158,257	5,887,258	2·688
1872 ...	398	753,910	825,360	164,862	260,127	424,989	207,918	98·43	48·15	48·92	217,071	6,388,727	3·397
1873 ...	403	875,602	923,788	178,216	306,020	484,236	238,035	104·71	51·47	49·16	246,201	6,739,918	3·653
1874 ...	403	1,085,501	1,070,938	188,595	347,980	536,575	257,703	103·09	49·51	48·03	278,872	6,844,546	4·074
1875 ...	437	1,288,225	1,171,354	205,941	408,707	614,648	296,174	100·20	48·28	48·18	318,474	7,245,379	4·396
1876 ...	509	1,727,730	1,244,131	233,870	459,355	693,225	339,406	98·50	48·22	48·96	353,819	7,990,601	4·428
1877 ...	598	2,957,144	1,430,041	271,588	544,332	815,920	418,985	92·95	47·73	51·35	396,935	8,883,177	4·468
1878 ...	688	3,705,733	1,625,886	306,308	596,681	902,989	536,988	81·62	48·54	59·47	366,001	9,784,645	3·741
1879 ...	734	4,317,864	1,720,815	319,950	632,416	952,366	604,721	77·94	49·49	63·49	347,645	10,406,495	3·341
1880 ...	849	5,440,138	1,712,971	390,149	770,868	1,161,017	647,719	86·02	47·99	55·79	513,298	11,778,819	4·358
1881 ...	995	6,907,312	2,033,850	488,675	955,551	1,444,226	738,334	88·33	45·16	51·12	705,892	13,301,597	5·307
1882 ...	1,268	8,984,313	2,619,427	587,825	1,111,038	1,698,863	934,635	84·05	46·24	55·02	764,228	15,843,616	5·135
1883 ...	1,320	10,272,037	2,864,566	661,751	1,269,713	1,931,464	1,177,788	78·07	47·61	60·97	753,676	16,905,014	4·484
1884 ...	1,618	11,253,109	3,124,425	745,665	1,340,572	2,086,237	1,301,259	78·19	48·77	62·37	784,978	20,080,138	4·201
1885 ...	1,732	13,506,346	3,273,004	830,904	1,343,464	2,174,368	1,458,153	78·61	52·72	67·06	716,215	21,831,276	3·370
1886 ...	1,890	14,881,604	3,211,951	847,916	1,312,154	2,160,070	1,492,992	80·01	55·30	69·12	667,078	24,079,555	2·901
1887 ...	2,036	14,451,303	3,339,253	850,499	1,357,796	2,208,295	1,457,760	81·89	54·05	66·01	750,534	26,542,613	2·963

PART VI.—AGRICULTURE AND PRODUCTION.

No. 162.—Number of Holdings, Area Cultivated, Enclosed and Unenclosed; also Total Extent of Holdings in each Electorate, with the Number of Hands Employed in Agricultural or Pastoral Occupations, 1887–88.

Electorate.	Number of Holdings of more than 1 acre.	Hands employed in Agricultural or Pastoral pursuits.		Area Cultivated.	Area Enclosed.	Area Unenclosed.	Total Area of Holdings.
		On Farm.	On Station.				
Metropolitan:—				acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Balmain	67	97	.....	13	298	43	354
Canterbury	1,087	1,518	.....	1,585	12,344	1,319	15,248
Glebe	11	5	.....	42	72	.....	114
Newtown	25	2	.....	1	224	.....	225
Paddington	236	.....	.....	484	2,517	2,069	5,070
Redfern	297	1,237	.....	1,305	10,092	414	11,811
St. Leonards	499	696	.....	2,116	8,638	5,781	16,535
Sydney, East	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sydney, South ...	1	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
Sydney, West ...	4	1	.....	1	7	1	9
Total Metropolitan...	2,157	*3,556	.....	5,547	34,194	9,627	49,368
Country:—							
Albury	214	357	29	9,506	85,999	82	95,587
Argyle...	1,203	2,083	147	20,713	741,269	24,802	786,784
Balranald	373	589	1,345	5,501	1,997,526	138,053	2,141,080
Bogan...	1,066	1,317	1,150	12,439	1,349,911	170,222	1,532,572
Boorowa	474	624	131	9,290	362,547	25,216	397,053
Bourke	293	292	1,387	405	392,512	61,182	454,099
Braidwood	546	751	62	4,892	218,013	11,503	234,408
Camden	1,576	2,907	.....	40,833	350,411	34,165	425,409
Carcoar	955	1,483	196	26,736	492,567	74,624	593,927
Clarence	859	1,335	15	21,722	81,554	5,255	108,531
Central Cumberland...	1,602	2,624	.....	12,846	84,973	7,437	105,256
Durham	696	1,151	29	8,731	218,313	27,909	254,953
Eden	1,205	2,621	85	23,029	431,497	66,035	520,561
Forbes	482	739	483	8,323	540,801	41,779	590,903
Glen Innes	470	698	150	10,446	188,003	81,646	280,095
Gloucester	507	548	32	3,524	130,590	365,672	499,786
Goulburn	101	114	.....	708	2,853	92	3,653
Grafton	855	1,030	54	14,675	118,744	30,768	164,187
Grenfell	606	794	359	9,298	836,330	53,630	899,258
Gundagai	642	1,121	159	28,219	708,552	8,207	744,978
Gunnedah	433	556	550	5,425	1,441,753	56,053	1,503,231
Gwydir	646	718	640	3,932	1,116,241	183,352	1,303,525
Hartley	488	653	66	4,631	110,677	35,846	151,154
Hastings & Manning...	1,451	2,308	33	19,594	167,135	85,914	272,643

* Includes Market Gardens, Orchards, &c.

No. 162—*continued.*

Electorate.	Number of Holdings of more than 1 acre.	Hands employed in Agricultural or Pastoral pursuits.		Area Cultivated.	Area Enclosed.	Area Unenclosed.	Total Area of Holdings.
		On Farm.	On Station.				
				acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Hawkesbury	860	1,279	42	14,289	72,968	8,835	96,092
Hume...	933	1,549	548	51,413	1,732,220	73,595	1,857,228
Hunter	545	882	13	7,010	84,597	3,392	94,981
Hunter, Upper ...	1,122	1,486	554	11,534	1,258,494	120,370	1,390,398
Illawarra	534	1,419	.....	4,357	52,204	13,034	69,595
Inverell	515	701	125	14,702	316,782	50,458	381,942
Kiama	634	1,644	.....	58,367	12,790	652	71,809
Macleay	1,100	1,696	23	31,439	102,678	52,167	186,284
Macquarie, East ...	707	1,031	65	30,033	212,767	20,204	263,004
Macquarie, West ...	472	830	33	23,624	136,059	5,789	165,472
Maitland, East ...	221	342	.....	1,734	31,946	1,121	34,801
Maitland, West ...	168	380	.....	880	316	11	1,207
Molong	846	1,355	162	35,557	434,455	52,165	522,177
Monaro	1,093	1,631	450	15,060	979,904	77,743	1,072,707
Morpeth	419	695	.....	7,407	23,979	43	31,429
Mudgee	1,290	1,903	246	25,810	370,356	44,054	440,220
Murray	529	973	589	32,496	3,020,247	200,260	3,253,003
Murrumbidgee ...	1,555	2,614	1,321	58,091	4,351,910	66,770	4,476,771
Namoi	483	519	506	3,307	776,987	127,618	907,912
Nepean	717	872	.....	6,638	90,811	11,810	109,259
Newcastle	33	52	.....	61	3,017	1,475	4,553
New England ...	1,157	1,751	413	19,295	845,461	114,528	979,284
Northumberland ...	230	353	20	938	12,290	31,584	44,812
Orange	609	1,046	46	30,902	164,100	7,646	202,648
Parramatta	39	65	.....	123	207	5	335
Patrick's Plains ...	619	946	184	8,978	424,349	14,025	447,352
Queanbeyan	507	720	208	7,997	507,482	38,258	553,737
Richmond	2,022	3,135	110	42,752	432,257	240,689	715,698
Shoalhaven	1,144	2,006	151	63,610	104,442	31,132	199,184
Tamworth	837	1,326	183	24,361	395,678	68,589	488,628
Tenterfield	451	491	53	4,782	88,132	66,419	159,333
Tumut	685	1,186	79	10,152	281,978	11,927	304,057
Wellington	543	750	152	15,819	250,972	53,522	320,313
Wentworth	170	89	2,024	1,920	1,295,568	21,942	1,319,430
Wollombi	801	1,139	14	8,974	99,526	52,891	161,391
Yass Plains	755	1,144	161	14,884	513,433	19,304	547,621
Young	897	1,320	297	42,133	762,591	25,099	829,823
Total Country ...	43,985	68,733	15,894 *1,938	1,036,847	32,412,706	3,318,570	36,768,123 .....
General Total ...	46,142	72,289	17,832	†1,042,394	32,446,900	3,328,197	36,817,491

*Hands employed on Holdings on which there is no freehold land. †Crown lands not included.

No. 163.—Land under cultivation in the various Electoral Districts, 1882–88.

Electorates.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Albury	9,138	8,898	8,893	8,851	7,938	8,405	9,506
Argyle	19,208	21,743	19,953	21,177	17,629	22,759	20,713
Balranald	2,689	3,785	4,159	4,996	5,510	5,279	6,160
Bogan	7,242	8,651	9,568	12,264	11,061	14,293	12,501
Boorowa	6,505	7,541	9,077	8,386	7,582	10,252	9,295
Bourke	150	222	261	9	53	486	541
Braidwood	5,254	5,200	5,180	5,662	4,641	5,350	4,952
Camden (Camden)	6,543	8,477	8,847	8,019	7,027	7,161	7,660
„ (Berima)	7,339	16,015	23,664	22,799	21,326	14,431	28,885
„ (Campbelltown ...	2,221	2,058	1,915	2,017	1,849	1,418	1,675
„ (Picton)	3,883	3,842	4,358	3,890	2,765	2,400	2,614
Carcoar	18,879	23,285	25,196	28,111	24,790	30,608	27,361
Clarence	17,484	16,892	17,652	18,562	20,427	20,641	21,728
Central Cumberland	10,345	10,852	11,314	11,763	11,489	11,801	12,846
Durham	9,113	9,071	9,224	7,866	8,579	8,807	8,737
Eden	17,802	19,308	18,180	14,597	19,165	21,159	23,109
Forbes	6,337	7,741	8,840	8,768	7,272	8,315	8,816
Glen Innes	6,140	6,516	7,970	8,496	8,500	9,461	10,446
Gloucester	3,482	3,724	4,033	3,757	3,914	3,986	4,071
Goulburn...	372	598	500	505	643	671	708
Grafton	8,505	8,640	8,613	10,314	10,971	13,732	14,675
Grenfell	6,093	6,933	8,928	8,691	7,509	9,912	9,407
Gundagai	13,295	17,181	19,846	20,897	23,272	26,625	28,269
Gunnedah	3,328	3,692	3,639	5,157	5,407	7,410	5,425
Gwydir	1,529	2,332	2,090	2,698	3,665	3,216	3,959
Hartley	3,809	4,436	5,080	4,642	4,050	4,822	4,657
Hastings and Manning	18,277	18,440	18,528	16,484	18,535	18,023	19,598
Hawkesbury	12,413	13,125	12,088	12,805	14,252	14,636	14,289
Hume	31,156	34,498	37,225	40,338	42,829	44,783	51,583
Hunter	7,272	7,048	7,270	7,351	7,299	7,995	7,010
Hunter, Upper	11,803	10,991	11,554	12,328	10,612	12,209	11,540
Illawarra	2,958	3,570	4,366	3,182	2,799	5,207	4,357
Inverell	9,527	11,980	11,535	12,674	12,797	14,773	14,710
Kiama	18,955	18,936	17,638	36,636	27,548	26,348	58,372
Macleay	16,558	19,575	21,222	21,770	22,334	29,406	31,466
Macquarie, East...	26,230	29,238	21,344	26,935	29,292	28,864	30,056
Macquarie, West	17,563	21,737	22,374	18,574	18,558	23,673	23,839
Maitland, East	1,571	1,450	1,606	1,572	1,511	1,923	1,734
Maitland, West	706	890	917	913	907	878	880
Molong	18,618	25,140	29,482	29,404	29,292	37,905	35,602
Monaro	9,733	11,572	11,640	12,851	11,835	16,446	15,060

No. 163—*continued.*

Electorate.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Morpeth	8,055	9,352	9,710	8,337	9,511	9,409	7,407
Mudgee	21,276	22,890	24,241	23,879	23,478	25,557	25,907
Murray	15,469	16,358	19,214	23,234	24,886	25,586	32,872
Murrumbidgee	13,045	11,245	22,829	26,588	36,398	43,871	59,096
Namoi	2,206	2,450	2,363	2,694	2,874	3,598	3,370
Nepean	7,127	6,804	7,573	6,420	5,597	5,767	6,638
Newcastle	67	74	62	67	81	59	61
New England	17,159	18,916	16,672	18,906	18,157	20,339	19,565
Northumberland	1,035	1,100	1,033	1,047	1,067	925	938
Orange	23,973	25,825	24,933	26,112	27,911	31,052	30,938
Parramatta	60	19	97	14	88	119	132
Patrick's Plains	6,371	8,673	9,789	8,626	8,079	9,389	8,978
Queanbeyan	5,883	7,470	9,180	9,402	8,556	10,039	7,997
Richmond	12,334	14,594	19,057	29,181	32,087	40,583	42,846
Shoalhaven	29,766	34,288	41,699	48,953	66,361	66,646	63,677
Tamworth	15,932	18,500	19,792	20,050	20,434	23,496	24,380
Tenterfield	4,001	5,420	4,238	5,872	5,110	5,840	4,812
Tumut	6,638	7,742	7,567	7,824	7,825	9,372	10,155
Wellington	10,583	12,843	14,105	16,192	14,505	17,346	15,819
Wollombi	8,116	8,047	8,315	8,681	7,995	8,545	8,974
Wentworth	360	723	1,097	1,198	1,704	1,607	2,252
Yass Plains	9,691	12,579	13,951	14,771	12,363	16,347	14,905
Young	21,132	27,103	31,222	30,525	30,776	39,053	42,224
Metropolitan and Suburban Electorates, not included above.	4,663	4,755	4,575	4,733	4,816	4,557	5,550
General Totals	644,968	733,583	789,083	852,017	868,093	975,471	1,048,305

No. 164.—Average Size of Holdings, 1876–88.

Year ended 31st March.	Average area of Holdings.	Year ended 31st March.	Average area of Holdings.
	acres.		acres.
1876	315	1883	772
1877	459	1884	817
1878	481	1885	813
1879	564	1886	862
1880	569	1887	817
1881	691	1888	789
1882	703		

No. 165.—Crown Leaseholds.—Area Cultivated, Enclosed, and Unenclosed, and Total extent of Leasehold in each Electorate, 1887-88.

Electorate.	Area Cultivated.	Area Enclosed.	Area Unenclosed.	Total Area.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Metropolitan	3	14	9	26
Country :—				
Albury	.....	.....	.....	.....
Argyle	.....	68,548	57,904	126,452
Balranald	659	13,348,535	728,826	14,078,020
Bogan	62	5,131,691	743,834	5,875,587
Boorowa	5	170,040	61,335	231,380
Bourke	136	21,871,218	2,465,968	24,337,322
Braidwood	60	36,727	32,846	69,633
Camden	1	57,084	15,212	72,297
Carcoar	625	294,243	141,144	436,012
Clarence	6	944	53,597	54,547
Central Cumberland	.....	171	9	180
Durham	6	21,018	44,550	65,574
Eden	80	3,908	40,136	44,124
Forbes	493	4,603,214	363,174	4,966,881
Glen Innes	.....	276,314	694,442	970,756
Gloucester	547	23,675	33,937	58,159
Goulburn	.....	10	.....	10
Grafton	.....	27,217	326,846	354,063
Grenfell	109	1,595,364	149,701	1,745,174
Gundagai	50	142,703	19,063	161,816
Gunnedah	.....	464,507	98,287	562,794
Gwydir	27	3,341,006	937,828	4,278,861
Hartley	26	39,891	104,243	144,160
Hastings and Manning	4	3,013	28,950	31,967
Hawkesbury	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hume	170	658,055	64,794	723,019
Hunter	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hunter, Upper	6	445,720	110,573	556,299
Illawarra	.....	.....	2,930	2,930
Inverell	8	417,557	293,987	711,552
Kiama	5	.....	.....	5
Macleay	27	26,519	127,995	154,541

No. 165—*continued.*

Electorate.	Area Cultivated	Area Enclosed.	Area Unenclosed.	Total Area.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Macquarie, East	23	105,372	97,529	202,924
Macquarie, West...	215	29,555	18,838	48,608
Maitland, East	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maitland, West	.....	.....	.....	.....
Molong	45	251,742	143,544	395,331
Monaro	.....	312,826	304,311	617,137
Morpeth	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mudgee	97	267,832	150,465	418,394
Murray	376	861,630	18,800	880,806
Murrumbidgee	1,005	3,605,028	93,892	3,699,925
Namoi	63	3,229,862	620,943	3,850,868
Nepean	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newcastle...	.....	.....	.....	.....
New England	270	631,436	1,231,527	1,863,233
Northumberland...	.....	4	797	801
Orange	36	69,484	26,106	95,626
Parramatta	9	4	.....	13
Patrick's Plains	.....	2,163	1,230	3,393
Queanbeyan	.....	316,766	121,424	438,190
Richmond	94	298,662	925,742	1,224,498
Shoalhaven	67	7,290	17,715	25,072
Tamworth	19	495,486	565,567	1,061,072
Tenterfield	30	213,458	646,697	860,185
Tumut	3	312,811	75,735	388,549
Wellington	.....	218,304	92,036	310,340
Wentworth	332	24,475,897	2,613,962	27,090,191
Wollombi...	.....	330	1,249	1,579
Yass Plains	21	307,050	44,382	351,453
Young	91	291,951	39,876	331,918
Total Country	5,908	89,373,835	15,594,478	104,974,221
General Total	5,911	89,373,849	15,594,487	104,974,247

No. 166.—Number of Holdings over One Acre in Area, 1880–88.

Size of Holding.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.
1 to 5 acres ...	2,838	3,276	3,076	2,919	2,968	3,100	3,492	3,880	4,285
6 „ 15 „ ...	2,136	2,274	2,106	2,205	2,177	2,309	2,385	2,632	2,753
16 „ 30 „ ...	2,227	2,160	2,129	2,141	2,243	2,375	2,3 5	2,335	2,423
31 „ 50 „ ...	5,510	5,216	5,147	5,027	4,924	5,156	5,124	5,165	5,048
51 „ 100 „ ...	6,775	6,459	6,512	6,365	6,395	6,627	6,691	6,619	6,823
101 „ 200 „ ...	6,790	6,810	6,577	6,474	6,608	6,840	6,977	7,169	7,357
201 „ 300 „ ...	3,230	3,304	3,202	3,197	3,299	3,511	3,510	3,554	3,660
301 „ 400 „ ...	2,969	2,550	2,551	2,563	2,670	2,852	2,775	2,828	2,821
401 „ 500 „ ...	1,272	1,313	1,302	1,387	1,439	1,591	1,596	1,667	1,683
501 „ 600 „ ...	848	941	881	936	982	1,015	1,111	1,058	1,144
601 „ 700 „ ...	1,780	1,452	1,630	2,014	2,311	2,493	2,510	2,650	2,482
701 „ 800 „ ...	455	448	439	466	527	560	537	549	585
801 „ 900 „ ...	268	338	336	384	367	400	417	428	393
901 „ 1,000 „ ...	341	341	371	372	405	438	446	440	491
1,001 „ 1,500 „ ...	797	981	965	1,038	1,094	1,276	1,193	1,283	1,370
1,501 „ 2,000 „ ...	415	486	505	512	573	610	618	665	640
2,001 „ 3,000 „ ...	372	515	489	536	547	580	627	601	707
3,001 „ 4,000 „ ...	189	235	224	260	251	261	273	322	325
4,001 „ 5,000 „ ...	120	166	144	158	165	175	147	155	186
5,001 „ 7,500 „ ...	161	186	197	217	218	228	208	243	250
7,501 „ 10,000 „ ...	98	127	122	126	159	169	151	137	150
10,001 „ 15,000 „ ...	115	135	157	133	124	130	171	158	168
15,001 „ 20,000 „ ...	59	78	75	94	83	94	86	90	119
20,001 „ 30,000 „ ...	47	71	75	82	85	94	102	106	104
30,001 „ 40,000 „ ...	36	34	45	50	56	65	44	49	43
40,001 and upwards ...	70	96	97	104	123	130	160	149	132

No. 167.—State of Agriculture in the Colony during the year ended 31st March, 1888.

| Electorates. | Crops. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Produce. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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No. 168.—Holdings of Various Sizes, and Proportion to Total Land in Occupation, 1887-88.

Size of Holdings.	No. of Holdings.	Area, Freehold.	Area, Leasehold.[a]	Total.	Percentage of Land in each class of Holdings
		acres.	acres.	acres.	
1 to 15 acres ...	7,038	26,133	12,618	38,751	·10
16 „ 200 „ ...	21,651	1,487,732	458,457	1,946,189	5·26
201 „ 400 „ ...	6,481	1,643,397	267,713	1,911,110	5·25
401 „ 1,000 „ ...	6,778	3,872,088	398,176	4,270,264	11·59
1,001 „ 2,000 „ ...	2,010	2,499,914	358,806	2,858,720	7·76
2,000 „ 10,000 „ ...	1,618	5,820,956	800,736	6,621,692	17·98
10,000 acres and upwards ...	566	17,826,548	1,344,217	19,170,765	52·06
Total Holdings over 1 acre...	46,142	33,176,768	3,640,723	36,817,491	100·00

[a] Leased from private persons.

No. 169.—Average Area of Holdings in the various Electoral Districts of the Colony, 1887-88.

Electoral Districts.	Acres.	Electoral Districts.	Acres.	Electoral Districts.	Acres.
Albury	443	Gunnedah	3,471	The Murrumbidgee ...	2,879
Argyle	654	Gwydir	2,018	The Namoi	1,880
Balranald	5,740	Hartley	310	The Nepean	152
Bogan	1,438	Hastings and Manning	188	Newcastle	138
Boorowa	838	Hawkesbury	112	New England ...	846
Bourke	1,550	Hume	1,990	Northumberland ...	195
Braidwood	429	Hunter	174	Orange	335
Camden	270	„ Upper... ...	1,239	Patrick's Plains ...	723
Carcoar	622	Illawarra	130	Queanbeyan	1,092
Clarence	126	Inverell	741	The Richmond ...	354
Central Cumberland...	66	Kiama	113	Shoalhaven	174
Durham	363	Macleay	169	Tamworth	581
Eden	432	Macquarie, East ...	372	Tenterfield	353
Forbes	1,226	„ West ...	329	Tumut	444
Glen Innes	596	Maitland East ...	158	Wellington	590
Gloucester	986	Molong	617	Wentworth	7,761
Goulburn	36	Monaro	991	Wollombi	201
Grafton	193	Morpeth	75	Yass Plains	725
Grenfell	1,484	Mudgee	341	Young	925
Gundagai	1,160	The Murray	6,150		

No. 170.—Number of Occupiers of Land in holdings of not less than one Acre in Unenclosed, in the year

Holdings of various sizes.	Number of Holders.	* Extent of Holding.			Acreage under Crop.		
		Freehold.	Leasehold.	Total.	Freehold.	Leasehold.	Total.
1 to 5 acres	4,285	8,460	3,550	12,010	2,899	1,774	4,673
6 „ 15 „	2,753	17,673	9,068	26,741	6,640	4,485	11,125
16 „ 30 „	2,423	29,249	26,962	56,211	10,290	14,202	24,492
31 „ 50 „	5,048	163,228	63,410	226,638	32,868	28,250	61,118
51 „ 100 „	6,823	396,159	151,236	547,395	70,424	50,925	121,349
101 „ 200 „	7,357	899,096	216,849	1,115,945	130,455	59,070	189,525
201 „ 300 „	3,660	784,191	146,997	931,188	89,123	32,636	121,759
301 „ 400 „	2,821	859,206	120,716	979,922	72,323	19,441	91,764
401 „ 500 „	1,683	678,110	88,668	766,778	51,008	9,757	60,765
501 „ 600 „	1,144	568,782	61,348	630,130	39,206	6,330	45,536
601 „ 700 „	2,482	1,524,537	86,770	1,611,307	49,791	4,874	54,665
701 „ 800 „	585	379,670	57,586	437,256	19,419	3,772	23,191
801 „ 900 „	393	301,621	47,944	349,565	15,504	2,867	18,371
901 „ 1,000 „	491	419,368	55,860	475,228	16,991	2,298	19,289
1,001 „ 1,500 „	1,370	1,500,386	217,254	1,717,640	52,573	6,518	59,091
1,501 „ 2,000 „	640	999,528	141,552	1,141,080	27,054	2,525	29,579
2,001 „ 3,000 „	707	1,515,629	246,431	1,762,060	29,097	2,678	31,775
3,001 „ 4,000 „	325	1,005,731	134,695	1,140,426	12,724	791	13,515
4,001 „ 5,000 „	186	753,401	85,933	839,334	6,367	630	6,997
5,001 „ 7,500 „	250	1,347,588	195,800	1,543,388	10,909	825	11,734
7,501 „ 10,000 „	150	1,198,607	137,877	1,336,484	4,647	128	4,775
10,001 „ 15,000 „	168	1,854,437	157,225	2,011,662	7,284	253	7,537
15,001 „ 20,000 „	119	1,826,430	174,357	2,000,787	11,344	48	11,392
20,001 „ 30,000 „	104	2,345,415	197,515	2,542,930	6,084	302	6,386
30,001 „ 40,000 „	43	1,405,754	114,760	1,520,514	2,053	.....	2,053
40,001 and upwards	132	10,394,512	700,360	11,094,872	9,938	.....	9,938
General Total ...	46,142	33,176,768	3,640,723	36,817,491	787,015	255,379	†1,042,394

* Crown Leaseholds are not included.

extent, Acreage under Crop, Area Enclosed but not in cultivation, and the Area ending 31st March, 1888.

Acreage enclosed but not in cultivation.			Acreage unenclosed.			Holdings of various sizes.
Freehold.	Leasehold.	Total.	Freehold.	Leasehold.	Total.	
4,999	1,729	6,728	562	47	609	1 to 5 acres
9,668	4,400	14,068	1,365	183	1,548	6 „ 15 „
17,109	12,232	29,341	1,850	528	2,378	16 „ 30 „
97,680	31,433	129,113	32,680	3,727	36,407	31 „ 50 „
243,302	91,057	334,359	82,433	9,254	91,687	51 „ 100 „
583,353	142,068	725,421	185,288	15,711	200,999	101 „ 200 „
557,601	103,013	660,614	137,467	11,348	148,815	201 „ 300 „
642,245	90,350	732,595	144,638	10,925	155,563	301 „ 400 „
530,433	69 968	600,401	96,669	8,943	105,612	401 „ 500 „
448,138	48,604	496,742	81,438	6,414	87,852	501 „ 600 „
1,241,402	69,764	1,311,166	233,344	12,132	245,476	601 „ 700 „
316,112	46,867	362,979	44,139	6,947	51,086	701 „ 800 „
258,775	42,144	300,919	27,342	2,933	30,275	801 „ 900 „
363,279	48,560	411,839	39,098	5,002	44,100	901 „ 1,000 „
1,306,925	175,020	1,481,945	140,888	35,716	176,604	1,001 „ 1,500 „
885,760	104,172	989,932	86,714	34,855	121,569	1,501 „ 2,000 „
1,328,638	189,572	1,518,211	157,894	54,180	212,074	2,001 „ 3,000 „
914,050	117,221	1,031,271	78,957	16,683	95,640	3,001 „ 4,000 „
704,597	67,503	772,100	42,437	17,800	60,237	4,001 „ 5,000 „
1,232,353	176,335	1,408,688	104,326	18,640	122,966	5,001 „ 7,500 „
1,102,753	110,471	1,213,224	91,207	27,278	118,485	7,501 „ 10,000 „
1,731,089	133,392	1,864,481	116,064	23,580	139,644	10,001 „ 15,000 „
1,712,776	95,914	1,808,690	102,310	78,395	180,705	15,001 „ 20,000 „
2,316,078	188,813	2 504,891	23,253	8,400	31,653	20,001 „ 30,000 „
1,353,421	84,760	1,438,181	50,280	30,000	80,280	30,001 „ 40,000 „
9,724,431	574,570	10,299,001	660,143	125,790	785,933	40,001 and upwards
29,626,967	2,819,933	32,446,900	2,762,786	565,411	3,328,197	General Total.

† Total land cultivated, including Crown Lands, 1,048,305.

No. 171.—Number of Occupiers and Extent of Holdings, &c., 1877–88.

Year ended 31st March.	Number of Occupiers of Land (excluding those for Pastoral purposes).	Total extent of Holdings.	Extent of Land in Cultivation.	Extent of Land enclosed, but not in Cultivation.	Extent of Land unenclosed.
		acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1877	39,639	18,210,796	513,840	11,020,968	6,675,987
1878	40,329	19,435,896	546,556	13,792,620	5,096,720
1879	37,887	21,471,596	613,642	15,903,803	4,954,150
1880	39,918	22,721,603	635,641	17,578,389	4,507,573
1881	39,992	27,873,498	710,337	21,437,914	5,725,247
1882	39,354	27,692,208	645,068	21,998,485	5,048,655
1883	39,760	30,714,349	733,582	24,977,047	5,003,719
1884	40,793	33,352,998	789,082	27,241,009	5,322,906
1885	43,079	35,035,504	852,017	29,319,775	4,863,711
1886	43,726	37,690,596	868,093	32,162,515	4,659,987
1887	44,932	36,726,169	972,496	32,356,387	3,397,286
1888	46,142	36,817,491	1,042,394	32,446,900	3,328,197

No. 172.—Comparative Statement showing the Area under Cultivation, and the estimated Total Produce of some of the Principal Crops for the years ended 31st March, 1887, and 31st March, 1888.

ESTIMATED TOTAL PRODUCE.

Crops.	1888	1887.	Quantities.		Proportion per cent.	
			Above.	Below.	Above.	Below.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.		
Grain—Wheat	4,695,849	5,868,844	.....	1,172,995	.....	19·98
Maize	4,953,125	3,825,146	1,127,979	.....	29·48	.....
Barley	84,533	132,949	.....	48,416	.....	36·42
Oats	394,762	600,892	.....	206,130	.....	34·30
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.		
Hay—Wheat	70,392	109,851	.....	39,459	.....	35·92
Barley	3,641	4,388	.....	747	.....	17·02
Oats	96,126	182,921	.....	86,795	.....	47·44
Lucerne and Sown Grasses ...	60,438	52,738	7,700	.....	14·61	.....
Other Crops—Potatoes	61,455	45,803	15,652	.....	34·18	.....
Sugar-cane (Productive) ...	273,928	167,959	105,969	.....	63·01	.....
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.		
Tobacco	23,465	13,642	9,822	.....	72·00	.....
	gallons.	gallons.	gallons.	gallons.		
Grapes for Wine	666,382	601,897	64,485	.....	10·71	.....

No. 172—*continued.*

ACREAGE.

Crops.	1888.	1887.	No. of acres.		Proportion per 100.	
			Above.	Below.	Above.	Below.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.		
Grain—Wheat	389,390	337,730	51,660	.....	15·29	.....
Maize	171,662	146,957	24,705	.....	16·81	.....
Barley	4,402	6,079	.....	1,677	.....	27·58
Oats	19,393	23,947	.....	4,554	.....	19·01
Hay—Wheat	60,340	74,070	.....	13,730	.....	18·53
Barley	1,990	2,095	.....	105	.....	5·01
Oats	86,451	126,488	.....	40,037	.....	31·65
Lucerne and Sown Grasses	21,543	20,817	726	.....	3·48	.....
Other Crops—Potatoes	20,915	17,322	3,593	.....	20·74	.....
Sugar-cane (Productive)	13,119	5,915	7,204	.....	121·79	.....
Tobacco	2,371	1,203	1,168	.....	97·09	.....
Grapes for Wine	3,292	3,131	161	.....	5·14	.....

ESTIMATED AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE.

Crops.	1888.	Previous ten years.	Quantities.		Proportion per cent.	
			Above.	Below.	Above.	Below.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.		
Grain—Wheat	12·06	14·88	.....	2·82	.....	18·95
Maize	28·85	36·69	.....	7·84	.....	21·37
Barley	19·20	20·50	.....	1·30	.....	6·39
Oats	20·34	21·50	.....	1 16	.....	5·39
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.		
Hay—Wheat	1·17	1·05	0·12	.....	11·43	.....
Barley	1·83	1·40	0·43	.....	30·71	.....
Oats	1·11	1·17	.....	0·06	.....	5·12
Lucerne and Sown Grasses	2·80	2·68	0·12	.....	4·10	.....
Other Crops—Potatoes	2·94	2·79	0·15	.....	5·37	.....
Sugar-cane (Productive)	20·88	26·27	.....	5·39	.....	20·51
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.		
Tobacco	9·85	10·95	.....	1·10	.....	10·04
	gallons.	gallons.	gallons.	gallons.		
Grapes for Wine	202·42	210·06	.....	7·64	.....	3·63

No. 173.—Area of Land under

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	
									Productive.	Unproductive.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1877 ...	145,608	116,364	5,662	21,828	1,277	242	14,171	333	3,524	3,231
1878 ...	176,686	105,510	5,055	18,580	1,168	239	13,862	399	3,331	3,735
1879 ...	233,252	130,582	6,152	22,129	1,302	254	16,724	835	2,949	4,489
1880 ...	233,368	135,034	6,130	23,883	1,016	86	19,271	592	3,675	4,102
1881 ...	253,137	127,196	8,056	17,922	1,095	211	19,095	1,791	4,465	6,506
1882 ...	221,887	117,478	6,426	16,347	889	200	15,943	1,625	4,983	7,184
1883 ...	247,361	118,180	6,473	24,817	1,031	200	14,462	1,815	6,362	7,176
1884 ...	289,757	123,634	5,081	17,810	1,140	284	14,953	1,785	7,583	7,401
1885 ...	275,249	115,600	7,035	19,472	1,110	118	12,417	1,046	6,997	10,520
1886 ...	264,867	132,709	5,297	14,117	666	266	15,166	1,603	9,583	6,835
1887 ...	337,730	146,957	6,079	23,947	1,095	325	17,322	1,203	5,915	9,202
1888 ...	389,390	171,662	4,402	19,393	1,091	200	20,915	2,371	13,119	2,168

No. 174.—Produce of various crops

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.
	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	tons.	cwt.
1877 ...	2,391,979	3,879,537	134,158	461,916	22,277	4,400	42,939	3,440
1878 ...	2,445,507	3,551,806	99,485	358,853	19,184	3,877	34,957	3,049
1879 ...	3,439,326	4,420,580	132,072	447,912	22,563	5,023	53,590	7,932
1880 ...	3,613,266	4,761,856	131,541	516,937	16,873	1,855	62,228	6,221
1881 ...	3,717,355	4,518,897	163,395	356,121	16,814	5,680	52,112	19,469
1882 ...	3,405,966	4,330,956	135,218	356,566	14,677	2,519	44,323	18,311
1883 ...	4,042,395	4,057,635	133,050	617,465	17,380	3,066	43,461	17,540
1884 ...	4,345,437	4,538,604	106,496	376,635	16,274	4,078	36,977	20,006
1885 ...	4,271,394	3,389,505	148,869	425,920	16,739	1,843	31,335	9,914
1886 ...	2,733,133	4,336,163	85,606	279,107	7,846	6,685	38,695	22,947
1887 ...	5,868,844	3,825,146	132,949	600,892	17,784	4,749	45,803	13,642
1888 ...	4,695,849	4,953,125	84,533	394,762	19,167	4,869	61,455	23,465

various Crops, 1877–88.

Hay.				Sown Grasses, Oats, Barley, Sorghum, &c., &c. for green food for Cattle.	Vines.	Gardens and Orchards.	Orangeries.	All other in Crop.	Total Number of Acres in Crop.	Year ended 31st March.
Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne and Grass.							
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	
17,115	2,041	77,212	15,578	61,516	4,457	20,453	.....	3,228	513,840	1877
29,640	1,875	79,333	14,930	65,072	4,183	19,900	.....	3,058	546,556	1878
22,888	1,414	61,684	18,110	60,249	4,237	18,017	4,287	4,088	613,642	1879
25,281	1,838	67,877	17,418	64,643	4,266	18,130	5,106	3,925	635,641	1880
41,137	2,262	68,758	18,996	102,540	4,800	18,626	5,939	7,805	710,337	1881
39,428	2,089	86,088	19,005	75,825	4,027	15,541	6,301	3,792	645,068	1882
42,592	2,499	112,477	21,999	92,606	4,448	17,060	6,716	5,308	733,582	1883
49,348	2,159	107,451	19,545	107,993	4,378	17,455	7,268	4,057	789,082	1884
86,584	2,174	121,922	15,966	140,528	4,584	20,416	6,911	3,368	852,017	1885
105,122	2,314	96,946	15,504	156,710	5,247	19,245	7,733	8,163	868,093	1886
74,070	2,095	126,488	20,817	165,820	5,840	18,605	7,920	6,234	977,664	1887
60,340	1,990	86,451	21,543	212,721	6,745	20,677	8,875	4,252	1,048,305	1888

raised in the Colony, 1877–88.

Sugar-cane.	Hay.				Vines.			Oranges.	Year ended 31st March.
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne and Grass.	Wine.	Brandy.	Fruit for Table use.		
tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	galls.	galls.	tons.	No. of doz.	
99,430	21,297	2,805	98,901	36,657	799,709	2,968	918	.....	1877
99,978	29,137	2,134	87,660	35,144	708,431	1,481	797	.....	1878
104,192	31,320	2,258	75,138	63,690	684,733	2,540	1,102	3,398,445	1879
126,119	32,943	2,395	84,915	42,510	733,576	4,186	1,017	2,763,811	1880
121,616	44,037	2,616	77,811	49,730	602,007	6,628	1,579	3,810,356	1881
128,752	42,378	4,328	100,773	51,053	513,688	3,522	1,103	5,164,134	1882
169,192	43,997	3,558	140,979	54,387	543,596	1,614	1,440	4,978,829	1883
204,547	55,119	2,785	113,899	57,438	589,604	4,162	1,378	8,102,658	1884
105,323	87,328	2,870	149,489	40,624	442,612	1,432	1,465	4,097,666	1885
239,347	74,606	1,749	72,484	42,532	555,470	3,893	1,695	8,749,256	1886
167,959	109,851	4,388	182,921	52,738	601,897	763	1,945	6,376,868	1887
273,928	70,392	3,641	96,126	60,438	666,382	3,606	2,276	8,704,677	1888

No. 175.—Area of Land under Wheat: Total Yield per Acre, 1862–88.

Year ended 31st March	Area of Crop.	Bushels.	Yield per Acre.
1862	123,468	1,606,034	13·01
1863	108,136	1,054,954	9·75
1864	103,942	808,919	7·78
1865	104,568	1,246,458	11·92
1866	131,653	1,013,863	7·69
1867	175,033	2,226,027	12·72
1868	149,142	1,433,807	9·61
1869	164,206	1,787,085	10·88
1870	189,452	3,200,959	16·89
1871	147,997	999,595	6·75
1872	154,030	2,229,642	14·48
1873	177,551	2,898,463	16·32
1874	169,330	2,273,620	13·43
1875	166,911	2,148,394	12·87
1876	133,609	1,958,640	14·66
1877	145,608	2,391,979	16·43
1878	176,686	2,455,507	13·84
1879	233,252	3,439,326	14·74
1880	233,368	3,613,266	15·48
1881	253,137	3,717,355	14·69
1882	221,887	3,405,966	15·35
1883	247,361	4,042,395	16·35
1884	289,757	4,345,437	15·00
1885	275,225	4,271,304	15·52
1886	264,867	2,733,133	10·45
1887	337,730	5,868,844	17·37
1888	389,390	4,695,849	12·06
Average yield for twenty-seven years			13·18

No. 176.—Proportion of Land under Wheat and Yield per Acre, in the chief Wheat-growing Districts of the Colony, 1886-87 and 1887-88.

District.	1886-87.		1887-88.	
	Proportion of Land under Wheat to whole Area of District.	Average yield per Acre.	Proportion of Land under Wheat to whole Area of District.	Average yield per Acre.
	Acres.	Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.
Young	1 in 45	15·6	1 in 38	11·0
Gundagai	50	17·0	42	12·6
Orange, Molong, and Carcoar ...	55	12·6	60	11·8
Bathurst	57	13·5	57	12·2
Yass and Burrowa	143	15·4	136	11·5
Murray Valley	148	12·2	109	10·2
Tamworth	148	15·2	150	15·1
Mudgee	178	15·6	196	12·9
Goulburn	212	15·3	181	10·7
Murrumbidgee	411	14·2	224	11·1
Wellington and Bogan	520	13·9	573	12·9
Tumut	533	19·6	429	14·3
Monaro	574	15·5	428	15·9
Hunter Valley	593	13·2	599	12·9
New England	648	18·7	567	16·7
Glen Innes, Inverell, and Tenterfield	718	18·9	607	17·8
Forbes and Grenfell...	873	14·1	804	11·3
Gunnedah	3,131	16·9	2,820	13·3

No. 177.—Total Value of Crops Grown, 1887-88.

Crop.	Value.	Crop.	Value.
	£		£
Wheat	743,509	Wine and brandy	133,998
Maize	577,865	Grapes	53,107
Barley	12,680	Orangeries	266,250
Oats	41,121	Orchards	381,575
Other grain	3,605	Market gardens...	433,120
Potatoes	199,729	Green food for cattle	90,193
Tobacco...	76,652	Other crops	19,134
Sugar-cane	164,356		
Hay	954,798	Total value ... £	4,151,692

No. 178.—Comparative Statement of the Production of Wheat in the principal March,

Districts.	Electoral Districts.	Area of Districts in Acres.	Year ended 31st March, 1884.				Year ended 31st March, 1885.			
			Area under Wheat.	Production, in bushels.	Average per Acre.	Total Rainfall, year 1883.	Area under Wheat.	Production, in bushels.	Average per Acre.	Total Rainfall, year 1884.
		acres.	acres.		bhls.	in.	acres.		bhls.	in.
Goulburn	Argyle, Goulburn	1,653,145	9,452	126,496	13·3	16·6	9,289	158,966	17·1	16·0
Yass	Burrowa, Yass Plains	2,399,436	15,732	220,737	14·2	20·2	14,824	253,455	17·0	21·1
Wellington and The Bogan	Wellington, The Bogan	10,484,774	12,722	180,519	14·1	16·0	12,700	219,140	17·2	20·3
Monaro	Braidwood, Queanbeyan, Monaro	5,675,096	10,917	162,933	14·9	20·0	10,922	181,639	16·6	17·7
The Murray River Valley	Albury, The Hume, The Murray	8,045,644	45,493	627,318	13·6	19·1	45,792	441,786	9·6	15·9
Orange	Orange, Molong, Carcoar	3,297,279	52,294	873,866	16·7	19·2	47,890	752,676	15·7	15·0
Gundagai	Gundagai	1,002,828	15,390	245,230	15·8	16·7	15,412	284,468	18·4	17·6
Forbes	Forbes, Grenfell	10,089,267	9,285	140,737	15·1	12·2	8,156	109,562	13·4	8·2
The Murrumbidgee	The Murrumbidgee	10,788,032	13,143	189,460	14·4	15·5	11,799	169,818	14·4	12·0
Tamworth	Tamworth	2,457,600	14,275	229,367	16·0	25·3	12,644	206,518	16·3	19·7
New England	New England	4,564,582	7,836	151,803	19·3	32·0	7,486	150,928	20·1	23·8
The Namoi and Gwydir Valleys	The Namoi, The Gwydir, Gunnedah	17,175,960	3,436	53,843	15·7	14·2	3,617	57,402	15·9	19·6
The North Coast	The Macleay, The Hastings and Manning, The Clarence and Richmond, Grafton, Gloucester	9,736,223	531	11,794	22·2	34·3	503	9,232	18·2	26·9
Glen Innes	Glen Innes, Inverell, Tenterfield	6,311,117	8,321	161,270	19·6	29·4	9,465	194,179	20·5	20·7
Young	Young	1,299,251	21,964	293,279	13·4	20·2	18,978	332,310	17·5	21·1
The Hunter River Valley	Morpeth, Newcastle, Patrick's Plains, Durham, The Hunter, The Upper Hunter, East Maitland, West Maitland, Northumberland	4,941,030	8,288	127,644	15·4	24·0	7,750	121,332	15·6	18·3
Bathurst	East Macquarie, West Macquarie	1,074,842	21,456	257,070	11·9	21·8	20,269	301,581	14·8	19·5
Mudgee	Mudgee	2,274,918	12,163	172,196	14·1	19·8	11,586	209,941	18·1	19·8
Tumut	Tumut	1,461,459	3,698	70,601	19·0	28·1	2,926	69,919	23·6	22·0
The South Coast	Eden, Shoalhaven, Kiama, Illawarra	3,622,477	364	8,210	22·6	21·5	261	6,005	23·0	23·5
Hawkesbury and Nepean Valleys	The Nepean, The Hawkesbury, Hartley, Wollombi, Camden	5,224,858	2,763	38,584	13·9	29·5	2,797	39,047	13·2	24·2
The Western District	Bourke, Balranald, Wentworth	88,398,720	230	2,480	10·8	14·0	159	1,500	9·4	11·2
The Metropolitan District	Sydney, Central Cumberland, Canterbury, &c.	505,993	....	....	..	..	....	..	..	..
	Totals for whole Colony	.....	289,753	4,345,437	14·9	..	275,225	4,271,394	15·5	..

Wheat Growing Districts of New South Wales for the five years ended 31st 1888.

Year ended 31st March, 1886.				Year ended 31st March, 1887.				Year ended 31st March, 1888.				Average Rainfall over Districts.	Districts.
Area under Wheat.	Production, in bushels.	Average per Acre.	Total Rainfall, year 1885.	Area under Wheat.	Production in bushels.	Average per Acre.	Total Rainfall, year 1886.	Area under Wheat.	Production, in bushels.	Average per Acre.	Total Rainfall, year 1887.		
acres.		bhls.	in.	acres.		bhls.	in.	acres.		bhls.	in.	in.	
5,661	53,942	9·5	22·7	7,787	147,294	18·9	26·9	9,126	97,452	10·7	38·61	25·8	Goulburn.
12,701	141,472	11·1	24·3	16,824	298,439	17·7	27·5	17,596	202,456	11·5	38·20	26·6	Yass.
11,153	71,236	6·4	20·9	20,170	328,256	16·2	30·9	17,722	228,489	12·9	35·38	19·0	Wellington and The Bogan.
7,072	81,197	11·4	19·4	9,892	167,662	17·0	27·7	13,466	215,278	15·9	44·52	22·7	Monaro.
50,097	607,028	12·1	20·5	54,240	776,944	14·4	19·3	74,080	750,139	10·2	28·80	21·7	The Murray River Valley.
45,564	430,091	9·9	17·7	59,721	1,694,411	18·3	33·3	55,033	648,764	11·8	44·07	19·0	Orange.
18,438	210,578	11·4	22·5	20,108	405,951	20·2	26·3	24,253	306,854	12·6	36·81	21·0	Gundagai.
7,775	62,126	7·9	16·8	11,558	238,433	20·5	23·7	12,545	142,027	11·3	34·76	15·5	Forbes.
19,793	159,058	8·0	16·4	26,204	518,695	19·9	16·3	46,309	516,243	11·1	30·40	15·4	The Murrumbidgee.
12,838	130,604	10·1	21·7	16,543	243,634	14·7	29·8	16,179	245,677	15·1	35·36	25·6	Tamworth.
6,201	95,461	15·4	26·1	7,047	120,989	17·1	33·1	8,186	136,477	16·7	31·63	29·8	New England.
4,114	35,924	8·7	16·6	5,485	76,072	13·9	33·3	5,989	80,166	13·3	33·30	23·9	The Namoi and Gwydir Valleys.
270	4,500	16·6	25·9	218	3,036	13·9	44·8	288	6,157	21·3	77·28	33·6	The North Coast.
8,241	158,897	19·2	27·1	8,789	121,623	13·8	39·9	10,401	184,940	17·8	48·96	26·5	Glen Innes.
21,582	215,092	9·9	24·3	28,609	550,843	19·2	29·9	34,119	376,009	11·0	41·80	26·6	Young.
6,499	54,414	8·4	26·5	8,326	139,832	16·8	35·4	8,235	106,530	12·9	40·20	19·0	The Hunter River Valley.
12,858	105,896	8·2	20·8	18,817	309,079	16·4	30·7	18,889	230,960	12·2	33·43	23·6	Bathurst.
10,125	63,874	6·3	24·5	12,749	242,450	19·0	31·1	11,511	148,612	12·9	41·18	24·6	Mudgee.
2,185	31,120	14·2	26·8	2,739	54,876	20·0	30·7	3,405	48,652	14·3	44·78	28·5	Tumut.
141	2,430	17·1	22·2	138	2,011	14·6	32·2	152	2,655	17·4	51·46	27·4	The South Coast.
1,333	17,051	12·8	23·1	1,597	26,135	16·3	28·9	1,351	16,294	12·0	44·56	33·2	Hawkesbury and Nepean Valleys.
220	1,207	5·5	20·8	166	2,094	12·6	15·1	551	4,958	9·0	21·41	8·4	The Western District.
....	.....	..	..	....	....	..	..	4	60	15·0	60·16	62·7	The Metropolitan District.
264,861	2,733,133	10·4	..	337,730	5,868,844	17·3	..	389,390	4,695,849	12·1	..	....	

No. 179.—Import, Export, and Growth of Breadstuffs.

Year.	Imports.				Exports.			
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.
	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.
1862 ...	293,460	733,650	446,640	1,180,290	115,980	289,950	15,441	305,391
1863 ...	284,980	712,450	612,366	1,324,816	143,880	359,950	9,461	369,411
1864 ...	472,265	1,180,662	1,163,914	2,344,576	161,200	403,000	18,682	421,682
1865 ...	486,440	1,216,100	692,826	1,908,926	191,680	479,200	15,307	494,507
1866 ...	596,640	1,491,600	1,093,081	2,584,681	232,533	581,332	71,890	653,222
1867 ...	329,100	822,750	755,973	1,578,723	134,138	335,345	78,480	413,825
1868 ...	404,840	1,012,100	609,011	1,621,111	149,188	372,970	12,974	385,944
1869 ...	326,020	815,050	777,408	1,592,458	121,111	302,777	31,499	344,276
1870 ...	387,900	969,750	569,638	1,539,388	100,375	250,937	22,914	273,851
1871 ...	363,220	908,050	1,041,496	1,949,546	85,409	213,523	28,591	242,114
1872 ...	336,280	840,700	631,299	1,471,999	71,160	177,900	94,680	272,580
1873 ...	342,160	855,400	818,845	1,674,245	85,099	212,747	76,969	289,716
1874 ...	347,880	869,700	740,019	1,609,719	85,415	213,537	27,901	241,438
1875 ...	518,040	1,295,100	1,083,773	2,378,873	102,692	256,730	230,679	487,409
1876 ...	479,860	1,199,650	918,005	2,117,655	70,471	176,177	48,775	224,952
1877 ...	427,560	1,068,900	823,526	1,892,426	110,351	275,877	126,553	402,430
1878 ...	663,480	1,658,700	780,604	2,439,304	90,920	227,300	66,116	293,416
1879 ...	563,300	1,408,250	442,849	1,851,099	60,617	151,542	52,231	203,773
1880 ...	743,000	1,857,500	422,473	2,279,973	101,470	253,675	121,853	375,528
1881 ...	660,940	1,652,350	260,118	1,912,468	353,484	883,710	152,022	1,035,732
1882 ...	979,720	2,449,300	698,518	3,147,818	333,380	833,450	68,677	902,127
1883 ...	800,960	2,002,400	247,099	2,249,499	309,018	772,545	71,961	844,506
1884 ...	890,360	2,225,900	469,785	2,695,685	320,088	800,220	51,351	851,571
1885 ...	1,068,410	2,671,025	545,423	3,216,448	182,770	456,925	47,647	504,572
1886 ...	1,229,840	3,074,600	1,105,079	4,179,679	153,596	383,990	120,306	504,296
1887 ...	1,368,420	3,401,050	278,105	3,679,155	424,110	1,060,275	135,920	1,196,195

Consumption per Head and Deficiency of Home Production, 1862–87.

Excess of Imports over Exports.	Home Produce.			Balance available for Food.	Total available for Food.	Consumption of Wheat per Head.	Home Produce per Head.	Deficiency.	Year.
	Acreage.	For Seed.	Wheat Crop.						
bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	
874,899	123,468	154,335	1,606,084	1,451,749	2,326,648	6·5	4·0	2·5	1862
955,405	108,137	135,171	1,054,954	919,783	1,875,188	5·0	2·4	2·6	1863
1,922,894	103,942	129,927	808,919	678,992	2,601,886	6·7	1·7	5·0	1864
1,414,419	104,568	130,710	1,246,451	1,115,741	2,530,160	6·3	2·8	3·5	1865
1,931,459	131,653	164,566	1,013,863	849,297	2,780,756	6·6	2·0	4·6	1866
1,164,898	175,033	218,791	2,226,027	2,007,236	3,172,134	7·2	4·6	2·6	1867
1,235,167	149,142	186,427	1,433,807	1,247,380	2,482,547	5·4	2·7	2·7	1868
1,258,182	164,206	205,257	1,887,085	1,681,828	2,940,010	6·2	3·5	2·7	1869
1,265,537	189,452	236,815	3,200,959	2,964,144	4,229,681	8·6	6·0	2·6	1870
1,707,432	147,977	184,971	999,595	814,624	2,522,056	4·9	1·6	3·3	1871
1,199,419	154,030	192,537	2,229,642	2,037,105	3,236,524	6·1	3·8	2·3	1872
1,384,529	177,551	221,938	2,898,463	2,676,525	4,061,054	7·4	4·9	2·5	1873
1,368,281	169,330	211,662	2,273,260	2,061,598	3,429,879	6·0	3·6	2·4	1874
1,891,464	166,911	208,638	2,148,394	1,939,756	3,831,220	6·5	3·3	3·2	1875
1,892,703	133,609	167,011	1,958,640	1,791,629	3,684,332	6·0	2·9	3·1	1876
1,489,996	145,608	182,010	2,391,979	2,209,969	3,699,965	5·8	3·5	2·3	1877
2,145,888	176,686	220,857	2,445,507	2,224,650	4,370,538	6·6	3·3	3·3	1878
1,647,326	233,252	291,565	3,439,326	3,147,761	4,795,087	6·9	4·5	2·4	1879
1,904,445	233,368	291,710	3,613,266	3,321,556	5,226,000	7·1	4·5	2·6	1880
876,736	253,137	316,421	3,717,315	3,400,934	4,277,670	5·6	4·4	1·2	1881
2,245,691	222,478	278,097	3,414,558	3,136,461	5,382,152	6·7	3·9	2·8	1882
1,404,993	247,348	309,185	4,042,356	3,733,171	5,138,164	6·1	4·4	1·7	1883
1,844,114	289,753	362,191	4,345,437	3,983,246	5,827,360	6·6	4·5	2·1	1884
2,711,876	275,225	344,031	4,271,304	3,927,273	6,639,149	7·1	4·2	2·9	1885
3,675,383	264,861	331,076	2,733,133	2,402,057	6,077,440	6·5	2·9	3·3	1886
2,482,960	337,730	422,162	5,868,844	5,446,682	7,929,642	7·7	5·7	2·0	1887

No. 180.—Average Yearly Import, Export, and Production of Breadstuffs, quennial

Period of which an Average has been taken.	Imports.				Exports.			
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.
	Cwt. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.	Cwt. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.
1862–66	426,757	1,066,892	801,765	1,868,658	169,074	422,686	26,156	448,842
1867–71	362,216	905,540	750,705	1,656,245	118,044	295,110	34,891	330,002
1872–76	404,844	1,012,110	838,388	1,850,498	82,967	207,418	95,801	313,219
1877–81	611,656	1,529,140	545,914	2,075,054	143,368	358,421	103,755	462,173
1882–86	993,857	2,484,645	613,180	3,097,825	259,771	649,427	71,988	721,415
1887	1,368,420	3,401,050	278,105	3,679,115	424,110	1,060,275	135,920	1,196,195

No. 181.—Consumption of Breadstuffs, Amount of Flour Imported and Manufactured in the Colony, and Percentage of Home Manufacture to Total Consumption, 1862–87 (in quinquennial periods).

Period.	Total Consumption of Flour, in equivalent of Wheat.	Flour imported for Home Consumption, in equivalent of Wheat.	Flour manufactured in the Colony, in equivalent of Wheat.	Percentage of Flour manufactured in Colony to whole Consumption.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	
1862–66	2,422,927	644,206	1,788,722	73·5
1867–71	3,069,285	610,429	2,458,856	80·1
1872–76	3,648,602	804,692	2,846,910	77·9
1877–81	4,473,852	1,170,719	3,303,133	73·8
1882–86	5,812,836	1,835,218	3,977,618	68·5
1887	7,929,642	2,340,775	5,588,867	70·5

The above figures denote the yearly average for each period.

Consumption per Head and Deficiency of Home Produce, 1862–87 (in quinquennial periods).

Excess of Imports over Exports.	Home Produce.				Total available for Food.	Consumption of Wheat per head.	Home Produce per head.	Deficiency per head.	Period of which an Average has been taken.
	Acreage under Crop.	Wheat required for Seed.	Wheat Crop.	Balance available for Food.					
Bushels. Average per annum.	Acres. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.	Bushels. Average per annum.	Bushels. Per annum.	Bushels. Per annum.	Bushels. Per annum.	
1,419,815	114,353	342,942	1,146,054	1,003,112	2,422,927	6·2	2·5	3·7	1862–66
1,326,243	165,162	206,452	1,949,494	1,743,042	3,069,285	6·4	3·6	2·8	1867–71
1,547,279	160,286	200,357	2,301,679	2,101,322	3,648,602	6·4	3·7	2·7	1872–76
1,612,878	208,410	260,512	3,121,486	2,860,974	4,473,852	6·4	4·0	2·4	1877–81
2,376,411	259,933	324,916	3,761,358	3,436,425	5,812,836	6·5	4·0	2·5	1882–86
2,482,960	337,730	422,162	5,868,844	5,446,682	7,929,642	7·7	5·7	2·0	1887.
			General average for the 26 years...			6·44	3·64	2·80	

No. 182.—Value of Breadstuffs Imported and Exported, with the Excess of Imports, 1877–87.

Year.	Total Imports.	Total Exports.	Excess of Imports.
	£	£	£
1877	610,367	127,921	482,446
1878	624,842	77,518	547,324
1879	421,152	53,537	367,615
1880	486,374	83,251	403,123
1881	447,093	238,751	208,342
1882	836,074	248,039	588,035
1883	539,164	210,412	328,752
1884	606,122	186,677	419,445
1885	619,862	121,364	498,498
1886	869,657	106,341	763,316
1887	734,220	237,066	497,154

No. 183.—Comparative Statement of the Production of Maize in the

Districts.	Electorates.	Year ended 31st March, 1884.			Year ended 31st March, 1885.		
		Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.
		acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.
Tamworth and New England.	Tamworth and New England.	2,315	43,969	18·9	1,555	28,486	18·3
The North Coast ...	The Macleay	19,193	996,655	51·9	21,265	918,250	43·1
	The Hastings and Manning.	17,469	709,574	40·6	14,357	394,820	27·5
	The Clarence	10,727	388,934	36·2	10,973	421,645	38·4
	The Richmond... ...	6,667	256,361	38·4	8,151	222,188	27·2
	Grafton...	7,503	316,760	42·2	8,903	254,950	28·6
	Gloucester	2,327	76,874	33·0	2,368	45,410	19·1
Glen Innes... ...	Glen Innes ...	5,232	119,492	22·8	4,428	84,239	19·0
	Tenterfield ...						
	Inverell... ...						
The Hunter River Valley.	Morpeth ...	13,680	452,172	33·0	9,788	212,726	21·7
	Newcastle ...						
	Patrick's Plains...						
	Durham ...						
	The Hunter ...						
	The Upper Hunter						
	East & West Maitland						
Mudgee	Mudgee...	2,119	41,870	19·7	2,403	42,363	17·6
Tumut	Tumut	1,512	48,285	31·9	2,229	69,340	31·1
The South Coast ...	Eden	13,955	474,461	34·0	11,184	349,813	31·2
	Shoalhaven ...						
	Kiama						
	Illawarra ...						
The Hawkesbury and the Nepean Rivers Valleys.	The Hawkesbury	14,900	517,904	34·7	13,234	287,602	21·7
	The Nepean ...						
	Hartley... ...						
	Wollombi ...						
	Camden... ...						
Other Districts of the Colony where maize is not grown in large quantities		6,035	95,293	15·7	4,762	57,673	12·1
General Totals and Averages		123,634	4,538,604	36·7	115,600	3,389,505	29·3

Colony of New South Wales, for the five years ended 31st March, 1888.

Year ended 31st March, 1886.			Year ended 31st March, 1887.			Year ended 31st March, 1888.			Districts.
Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.	
acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	
2,937	55,959	19·0	3,117	56,215	18·0	5,313	122,249	23·0	Tamworth and New England.
21,261	919,112	43·2	23,222	804,299	34·6	23,420	578,648	24·7	
17,489	593,882	33·9	17,123	542,506	31·6	18,436	406,101	22·0	
14,212	478,521	33·6	15,147	316,758	20·9	14,866	668,970	45·0	The North Coast.
9,617	288,060	30·0	11,724	288,579	25·8	9,829	233,996	23·8	
9,850	309,011	31·3	10,729	195,186	18·1	13,069	588,105	45·0	
2,511	74,804	29·7	2,635	80,688	30·6	2,938	61,550	21·0	
5,735	138,115	23·8	6,541	126,404	19·3	6,963	161,353	23·0	Glen Innes.
12,278	366,053	29·8	11,777	322,584	27·4	14,023	339,114	24·1	The Hunter River Valley.
2,633	59,901	22 8	3 608	80,745	20·6	5,144	133,531	25·9	Mudgee.
2,550	113,655	44·5	2,642	94,175	35·6	3,472	141,481	40·9	Tumut.
11,710	392,374	33·5	11,875	268,874	22·6	14,748	544,662	36·9	The South Coast.
13,646	451,714	33·1	13,444	398,318	29·6	16,681	475,660	28·5	The Hawkesbury and the Nepean Rivers Valleys.
6,280	95,002	15·1	13,933	248,815	17·9	22,760	497,685	21·8	Other Districts, &c.
132,709	4,336,163	32·6	146,957	3,825,146	26·02	171,662	4,953,125	28·8	General Totals, &c.

No. 184.—Quantity and Estimated Value of Minerals obtained in the Colony, 1886–87.

Minerals.	1886.		1887.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
	oz.	£	oz.	£	£	£
Gold	101,416·80	366,294	110,286·06	394,579	28,285	.....
Silver	1,015,433·50	197,544	177,307·75	32,458	.....	165,086
	tons.		tons.			
Coal	2,830,175·00	1,303,164	2,922,497·00	1,346,163	42,999	.....
Shale	43,563·00	99,976	40,010·00	87,761	.....	12,215
Tin	4,967·80	467,653	4,961·05	525,420	57,767	.....
Copper	4,026·80	167,665	4,763·35	199,102	31,437	.....
Iron	3,685·87	19,068	2,797·43	14,543	.....	4,525
Antimony	273·15	3,381	168·35	1,641	.....	1,740
Bismuth	20·90	3,870	36·55	6,695	2,825	.....
Sundry Minerals	69·22	5,327	1,431·00	15,624	10,297	.....
Silver Lead Ore	4,802·10	294,485	12,530·17	541,952	247,467	.....
Manganese	.....	.....	460·65	1,702	1,702	.....
Cobalt	.....	.....	6·40	1,330	1,330	.....
Total Value	.. ..	2,928,427	.....	3,168,970	240,543	.....

No. 185.—Estimated Value of Minerals obtained in the Colony to the close of 1887.

	£
Gold	36,863,717
Silver and Silver Lead	1,806,349
Tin	7,927,876
Copper	5,163,228
Iron	265,465
Coal	19,699,109
Shale (Kerosene)	1,083,174
Sundry Minerals	129,360
	£72,938,278

No. 186.—Estimated Value of Mineral Products obtained in the Colony, 1876–87.

Year.	Gold.	Silver.	Silver and Lead.	Tin.	Copper.	Iron.	Coal.	Shale.	Antimony.	Bismuth.	Sundry Minerals.	Total Value.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1876 ...	613,190	15,456	1,392	439,638	249,978	13,399	803,300	47,994	140	.....	.....	2,184,487
1877 ...	471,418	6,673	325	508,540	324,226	7,600	858,998	46,524	1,131	.....	7,725	2,233,160
1878 ...	430,033	13,291	258	395,822	345,158	6,666	920,936	57,211	1,964	.....	1,082	2,172,421
1879 ...	407,219	18,071	535	372,349	257,352	10,550	950,879	66,930	1,046	.....	525	2,085,456
1880 ...	441,543	21,878	890	471,337	364,059	15,335	615,337	44,725	1,652	.....	1,118	1,977,874
1881 ...	566,513	13,026	1,625	724,003	355,062	47,871	603,248	40,748	17,346	2,728	1,020	2,373,190
1882 ...	526,521	9,024	360	833,461	324,727	37,224	948,965	84,114	16,732	162	1,054	2,782,344
1883 ...	458,509	16,488	2,075	824,552	577,201	26,908	1,201,942	90,861	5,555	650	160	3,204,901
1884 ...	395,292	19,780	241,940	521,587	416,179	24,572	1,303,077	72,176	6,458	2,770	.....	3,003,831
1885 ...	378,665	159,187	107,626	415,626	264,920	25,793	1,340,213	67,239	4,296	3,700	7,910	2,775,175
1886 ...	366,294	197,544	294,485	467,653	167,665	19,068	1,303,164	99,976	3,381	3,870	5,327	2,928,427
1887 ...	394,579	32,458	541,952	525,420	199,102	14,543	1,346,163	87,761	1,641	6,695	18,656	3,168,970

No. 187.—Quantity and Value of Gold, the Produce of the Colony, Coined or Exported, to the close of the year 1887.*

Year.	Weight.	Value.	Year.	Weight.	Value.
	oz.	£		oz.	£
1851	144,120·88	468,336	1870	240,401·86	916,409
1852	818,751·93	2,660,946	1871	321,468·70	1,232,011
1853	548,052·99	1,781,172	1872	424,100·23	1,634,821
1854	237,910·70	773,209	1873	360,849·97	1,389,705
1855	170,145·73	613,148	1874	270,710·12	1,038,844
1856	183,946·36	666,155	1875	229,385·55	881,480
1857	161,043·26	616,712	1876	155,166·37	581,689
1858	280,557·93	1,082,865	1877	122,619·24	463,130
1859	323,984·02	1,237,662	1878	117,977·88	423,184
1860	381,613·96	1,445,158	1879	107,640·38	399,187
1861	459,879·26	1,771,855	1880	116,750·52	434,641
1862	616,909·71	2,360,383	1881	145,532·05	550,111
1863	467,399·05	1,791,534	1882	129,233·28	491,594
1864	341,954·12	1,304,735	1883	122,256·58	452,611
1865	364,540·63	1,390,803	1884	105,933·43	390,229
1866	287,534·29	1,103,246	1885	100,667·16	366,388
1867	269,407·35	1,043,458	1886	98,446·27	355,600
1868	258,773·41	1,003,002	1887	108,101·00	386,771
1869	252,130·14	967,625	Total	9,845,906·31	36,470,309

* For other information respecting Gold see Part V.

No. 188.—Quantity and Value of Tin, the Produce of the Colony, Exported since the opening of the Tin-fields in 1872.

Year.	Ingots.		Ore.		Total Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
	tons cwt.	£	tons cwt.	£	£
1872	47 0	6,482	849 0	41,337	47,819
1873	911 0	107,795	3,660 0	226,641	334,436
1874	4,101 0	366,189	2,188 0	118,133	484,322
1875	6,058 0	475,168	2,022 0	86,143	561,311
1876	5,449 0	379,318	1,509 0	60,320	439,638
1877	7,230 0	477,952	824 0	30,588	508,540
1878	6,085 0	362,072	1,125 0	33,750	395,822
1879	5,107 2	343,075	813 15	29,274	372,349
1880	5,476 6	440,615	682 6	30,722	471,337
1881	7,590 17	686,511	609 6	37,492	724,003
1882	8,059 0	800,571	611 0	32,890	833,461
1883	8,680 1	802,867	445 4	21,685	824,552
1884	6,315 16	506,726	349 13	14,861	521,587
1885	4,657 18	390,458	534 18	25,168	415,626
1886	4,640 18	449,303	326 18	18,350	467,653
1887	4,669 8	509,909	291 13	16,411	525,420
	85,078 6	7,104,111	16,771 13	823,765	7,927,876

No. 189.—Quantity and Value of Copper, the Produce of the Colony, Exported, 1858–87.

Year.	Ingots.		Ore and Regulus.		Total Value
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
	Tons.	£	Tons.	£	£
1858	.....	.....	58	1,400	1,400
1859	30	578	.....	.....	578
1860	.....	.....	43	1,535	1,535
1861	.....	.....	144	3,390	3,390
1862	.....	.....	213	5,742	5,742
1863	23	1,680	114	420	2,100
1864	54	5,230	.....	.....	5,230
1865	247	15,820	22	545	16,365
1866	255	18,905	23	1,885	20,790
1867	393	30,189	.....	5	30,194
1868	644	23,297	172	4,000	27,297
1869	1,980	74,605	104	2,070	76,675
1870	994	65,671	6	60	65,731
1871	1,350	87,579	94	1,297	88,876
1872	1,035	92,736	417	13,152	105,888
1873	2,795	237,412	51	1,690	239,102
1874	3,638	311,519	522	13,621	325,140
1875	3,520	297,334	157	4,356	301,690
1876	3,106	243,142	169	6,836	249,978
1877	4,153	307,181	360	17,045	324,226
1878	4,983	337,409	236	7,749	345,158
1879	4,107	256,437	36	915	257,352
1880	5,263	359,260	132	4,799	364,059
1881	5,361	350,087	133	4,975	355,062
1882	4,865	321,887	93	2,840	324,727
1883	8,873	574,497	84	2,704	577,201
1884	7,286	415,601	19	578	416,179
1885	5,745	264,905	1	15	264,920
1886	3,969	166,429	56	1,112	167,541
1887	4,464	195,752	300	3,350	199,102
Total	79,133	5,055,142	3,759	108,086	5,163,228

No. 190.—Estimated Quantity and Value of Coal raised in the Colony to the close of the year 1887, and average Price per Ton.

Year.	Quantity.	Average per Ton.	Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average per Ton.	Value.
	Tons.	s. d.	£		Tons.	s. d.	£
Prior to 1829	50,000	10 0·00	25,000	1859	308,213	13 3·14	204,371
1829	780	10 1·23	394	1860	368,862	12 3·36	226,493
1830	4,000	9 0·00	1,800	1861	342,067	12 9·52	218,820
1831	5,000	8 0·00	2,000	1862	476,522	12 9·73	305,234
1832	7,143	7 0·00	2,502	1863	433,889	10 10·66	236,230
1833	6,812	7 6·73	2,575	1864	549,012	9 10·10	270,171
1834	8,490	8 10·00	3,750	1865	585,525	9 4·43	274,303
1835	12,392	8 10·19	5,483	1866	774,238	8 4·44	324,049
1836	12,646	9 1·06	5,747	1867	770,012	8 10·79	342,655
1837	16,083	9 8·81	5,828	1868	954,231	8 9·08	417,809
1838	17,220	9 9·05	8,399	1869	919,774	7 6·32	346,146
1839	21,283	9 9·73	10,441	1870	868,564	7 3·54	316,836
1840	30,256	10 10·86	16,498	1871	898,784	7 0·47	316,340
1841	34,841	12 0·00	20,905	1872	1,012,426	7 9·92	396,198
1842	39,900	12 0·00	23,940	1873	1,192,862	11 1·94	665,747
1843	25,862	12 6·54	16,222	1874	1,304,612	12 1·37	790,224
1844	23,118	10 8·34	12,363	1875	1,329,729	12 3·89	819,430
1845	22,324	7 10·27	8,769	1876	1,319,918	12 2·06	803,300
1846	38,965	7 0·46	13,714	1877	1,444,271	11 10·74	858,998
1847	40,732	6 9·01	13,750	1878	1,575,497	11 8·28	920,936
1848	45,447	6 3·38	14,275	1879	1,583,381	12 0·12	950,879
1849	48,516	6 0·45	14,647	1880	1,466,180	8 6·36	615,337
1850	71,216	6 6·77	23,375	1881	1,769,597	6 9·55	603,248
1851	67,610	7 6·51	25,456	1882	2,109,282	8 11·97	948,965
1852	67,404	10 11·33	36,885	1883	2,521,457	9 6·40	1,201,941
1853	96,809	16 1·51	78,059	1884	2,749,109	9 5·71	1,303,077
1854	116,642	20 5·63	119,380	1885	2,878,863	9 3·72	1,340,212
1855	137,076	12 11·96	89,082	1886	2,830,175	9 2·50	1,303,164
1856	189,960	12 4·06	117,906	1887	2,922,497	9 2·57	1,346,440
1857	210,434	14 0·97	148,158				
1858	216,397	14 11·84	162,162	Total ...	39,942,907	9 10·36	19,699,109

No. 191.—Quantity and Value of Kerosene Shale Produced, 1865–87.

Year.	Quantity.	Average Price per Ton.	Total Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average Price per Ton.	Total Value.
	Tons.	£ s. d.	£		Tons.	£ s. d.	£
1865 ...	570	4 2 5·47	2,350	1877 ...	18,963	2 9 0·81	46,524
1866 ...	2,770	2 18 10·48	8,150	1878 ...	24,371	2 6 11·40	57,211
1867 ...	4,079	3 14 9·21	15,249	1879 ...	32,519	2 1 1·96	66,931
1868 ...	16,952	2 17 7·11	48,816	1880 ...	19,201	2 6 7·03	44,725
1869 ...	7,500	2 10 0·00	18,750	1881 ...	27,894	1 9 2·59	40,748
1870 ...	8,580	3 4 3·18	27,570	1882 ...	48,065	1 15 0·00	84,114
1871 ...	14,700	2 6 3·91	34,050	1883 ...	49,250	1 16 10·77	90,861
1872 ...	11,040	2 11 11·91	28,700	1884 ...	31,618	2 5 7·86	72,176
1873 ...	17,850	2 16 6·55	50,745	1885 ...	27,462	2 8 11·62	67,239
1874 ...	12,100	2 5 1·48	27,300	1886 ...	43,563	2 5 10·79	99,976
1875 ...	6,197	2 10 2·22	15,500	1887 ...	40,010	2 3 10·43	87,761
1876 ...	15,998	3 0 0·00	47,994	Total..	481,252	2 5 0·01	1,083,174

No. 192.—Approximate Number of Persons engaged Mining for Gold, Silver, Copper, Tin, Iron, Coal, and Shale, 1881–87.

Persons engaged Mining for—	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
Gold	9,056	9,215	6,750	6,548	5,911	6,767	6,060
Silver and Silver Lead ...	.....	.....	.....	45	929	1,297	1,670
Copper	1,177	1,442	1,913	1,746	1,000	622	503
Tin	4,530	5,066	4,100	1,880	3,395	2,814	1,888
Iron	.....	.....	.....	.....	180	120	160
Coal	4,098	4,387	5,481	6,227	7,097	7,847	7,998
Shale	231	317	293	116	324	100	120
Other Minerals	12	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	19,104	20,467	18,537	16,562	18,836	19,567	18,399

No. 193.—Machines Employed in Gold and Tin Mining during the year 1887.

Description.	Number
QUARTZ :—	
Steam Engines Employed in Winding, Crushing, &c.	92
,, ,, ,, Aggregate horse-power ...	1,723
Crushing Machines	72
Stamp-heads	439
Whims and Pulleys	36
Pumps	4
Whips	3
ALLUVIAL :—	
Steam Engines Employed in Winding, Pumping, &c.	19
,, ,, ,, Aggregate horse-power ...	252
Puddling Machines	7
Percussion Tables	3
Oscillating Tables	6
Water Wheels	10
Hydraulic Hoses	4
Pumps	8
Sluice Boxes	20
Stamp Heads	39
Chilian Mills	3
Turbines...	1

No. 194.—Approximate Number of Horses, Horned Cattle, Sheep, and Pigs, in the various Electoral Districts on the 31st March, 1888; and quantity of Butter and Cheese made during 1887.

Electorate.	Horses.	Cattle.		Sheep.	Pigs.	Produce of Dairies.	
		Ordinary Stock.	Dairy Cows.			Butter made.	Cheese made.
						lb.	lb.
Metropolitan	13,634	1,627	5,348	6,896	5,351	6,966	50
Country:—							
Albury	2,182	4,637	899	25,982	1,105	48,095	1,340
Argyle	8,144	32,132	6,393	364,924	7,272	381,509	66,597
Balranald	8,768	12,367	1,244	4,075,898	1,579	8,484	.....
Bogan	11,992	29,686	4,289	3,197,288	4,810	79,412	2,976
Boorowa	2,780	4,986	840	432,889	4,152	25,657	3,152
Bourke	13,454	57,295	1,981	5,862,560	1,962	6,570	2,420
Braidwood	3,523	24,802	3,800	47,554	2,278	96,451	39,750
Camden	8,269	24,389	21,817	28,960	10,446	1,658,580	40,848
Carcoar	7,364	12,225	2,688	587,298	6,689	78,839	11,810
Clarence	5,934	11,720	917	322	3,521	5,886	5,060
Central Cumberland ...	3,526	2,952	2,703	2,141	2,845	60,427	6,000
Durham	5,475	24,811	3,339	1,337	6,587	144,977	6,349
Eden	6,126	28,941	30,517	4,749	15,667	3,049,024	4,843,305
Forbes	4,374	11,379	2,610	1,694,018	2,546	63,332	10,024
Glen Innes	5,310	44,167	2,433	184,100	2,270	54,158	13,720
Gloucester	2,948	26,735	2,967	591	4,450	210,529	2,318
Goulburn	234	143	230	224	356	3,030	.....
Grafton	7,674	26,307	3,591	1,867	4,468	75,930	8,046
Grenfell	4,175	7,796	3,799	1,349,089	2,390	83,964	4,114
Gundagai	6,069	17,274	2,999	737,362	5,142	115,988	27,342
Gunnedah	6,095	32,419	1,756	1,407,575	2,410	55,848	6,580
Gwydir	11,937	70,020	1,133	1,518,366	2,459	12,389	2,707
Hartley	2,881	5,641	2,117	52,537	2,565	73,123	1,900
Hastings and Manning...	7,619	27,201	2,600	2,425	13,640	111,893	10,880
Hawkesbury	4,551	4,952	1,925	5,214	4,495	70,216	600
Hume	11,546	44,482	3,579	1,550,480	4,978	163,790	6,440
Hunter	3,054	6,593	3,010	2,826	3,000	279,095	14,160
Upper Hunter	12,514	67,298	5,270	827,183	4,710	105,180	10,465
Illawarra...	2,094	6,053	8,903	1,154	4,359	2,112,128	8,520
Inverell	5,184	34,052	2,065	346,613	3,104	73,463	4,856
Kiama	2,641	10,227	15,838	928	8,706	1,519,414	416
Macleay	6,650	19,718	2,584	768	8,717	219,211	3,650

No. 194—*continued.*

Electorate.	Horses.	Cattle.		Sheep.	Pigs.	Produce of Dairies.	
		Ordinary Stock.	Dairy Cows.			Butter made.	Cheese made.
Country—*continued*:—						lb.	lb.
East Macquarie... ...	4,326	8,331	1,827	231,723	3,522	49,076	9,030
West Macquarie ...	2,815	3,978	1,681	118,929	2,330	124,814	8,400
East Maitland	1,398	1,848	1,307	421	1,139	67,450	200
West Maitland	204	28	136	.....	125	16,706	.....
Molong	6,747	9,709	1,896	363,250	5,155	68,650	3,101
Monaro	10,693	36,957	5,678	1,130,918	5,143	81,366	340,880
Morpeth	2,645	2,699	1,478	157	1,761	149,620	.....
Mudgee	8,183	18,212	4,620	341,019	5,647	243,080	20,157
Murray	6,679	8,906	1,936	1,948,181	2,219	20,380	1,584
Murrumbidgee	14,857	30,658	4,498	4,124,408	6,631	69,467	5,340
Namoi	5,787	23,595	1,803	1,737,623	2,445	30,376	520
Nepean	2,740	2,786	3,861	4,752	1,838	71,140	.....
Newcastle	761	740	379	270	578	38,860	.....
New England	9,166	61,691	4,378	1,195,295	4,640	119,039	4,076
Northumberland ...	1,344	1,419	1,163	360	1,049	47,087	.....
Orange	4,142	6,224	2,294	214,057	2,921	106,742	510
Parramatta	325	5	230	.....	105	841	386
Patrick's Plains	6,665	28,443	5,700	52,219	6,027	243,583	52,108
Queanbeyan	3,909	13,888	2,679	444,481	2,188	71,966	1,610
Richmond	12,945	111,676	8,165	1,224	11,734	259,422	88,231
Shoalhaven	5,062	17,763	18,361	3,082	9,884	2,703,610	41,546
Tamworth	7,730	23,477	3,970	534,382	4,484	97,620	15,190
Tenterfield	3,323	43,242	2,174	80,018	1,519	31,912	2,021
Tumut	5,400	25,631	2,711	174,982	3,407	77,593	12,812
Wellington	3,712	4,803	1,136	317,197	2,918	34,218	300
Wentworth	9,018	10,290	673	4,234,295	1,424	5,801	.....
Wollombi	3,342	6,984	1,949	568	4,647	48,392	3,084
Yass Plains	5,441	11,960	1,440	500,110	4,355	46,814	1,150
Young	6,101	9,368	3,293	761,460	5,237	127,008	1,024
			222,383			16,106,191	5,779,595

NOTE.—For total stock for 1887 and previous years see Table No. 34.

No. 195.—Estimated Value of Dairy Produce, 1887.

	£
Value of Butter made	402,655
Value of Cheese made	96,327

No. 196.—Number of Live Stock in the Colony at the close of each year 1860-87.

Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.
1860	251,497	2,408,586	6,119,163	180,662	1874	346,691	2,856,699	22,797,416	219,958
1861	233,220	2,271,923	5,615,054	146,091	1875	357,696	3,134,086	25,353,924	199,950
1862	273,389	2,620,383	6,145,651	125,541	1876	366,703	3,131,013	25,269,755	173,604
1863	262,554	2,032,522	7,790,969	135,899	1877	328,150	2,746,385	21,521,662	191,677
1864	284,567	1,924,119	8,271,520	164,154	1878	336,468	2,771,583	25,479,484	220,320
1865	282,587	1,961,905	8,132,511	146,901	1879	360,038	2,914,210	30,062,910	256,026
1866	278,437	1,771,809	11,562,155	137,915	1880	395,984	2,580,040	35,398,121	308,205
1867	280,201	1,728,427	13,909,574	173,168	1881	398,577	2,597,348	36,591,946	213,916
1868	280,818	1,761,411	15,080,625	176,901	1882	328,026	1,859,985	36,114,814	154,815
1869	280,304	1,795,904	14,989,923	175,924	1883	326,964	1,640,753	37,915,510	189,050
1870	337,597	2,195,096	16,308,585	243,066	1884	337,172	1,425,130	31,660,321	211,656
1871	304,100	2,014,888	16,278,697	213,193	1885	344,697	1,317,315	37,820,906	208,697
1872	328,408	2,287,660	17,566,048	218,904	1886	361,663	1,367,844	39,169,304	209,576
1873	334,462	2,794,327	18,990,595	240,680	1887	390,609	1,575,487	46,965,152	264,111

No. 197.—Estimated Value of Stock and Approximate Value of Return from Stock in New South Wales.

	Estimated Value of Stock 1887.	Approximate Value of Return from Stock, 1887-88.
	£	£
Horses	3,906,020	703,084
Cattle	7,483,421	1,039,802
Sheep	17,611,932	2,201,491
Wool	.....	7,468,779
Pigs	660,277	316,933
Total...	£29,661,650	11,730,089

NOTE.—Dairy produce not included. The above figures are the net values.

No. 198.—Stock Slaughtered during the year 1887.

Number of Stock Slaughtered, Hands Employed, &c.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.
Number of Establishments	18	1,304	1,322
Hands Employed	283	2,925	3,208
Sheep Slaughtered	894,174	946,067	1,840,241
Lambs „	29,684	29,305	58,989
Cattle Slaughtered :—			
Bullocks	51,031	128,726	179,757
Cows	10,515	45,728	56,243
Calves	7,355	5,934	13,289
Pigs	38,978	46,357	85,335

No. 199.—Agricultural Implements in Use, 1887.

Bone Mills	132	Sheep-washing Machines	52
Carts	52,624	Stills	68
Chaff Cutters	10,528	Turnip Cutters	148
Cheese Presses	1,289	Ploughs	41,962
Cheese-making Machines	302	Winnowing Machines	3,211
Corn Crushers	2,619	Strippers	2,680
Corn Shellers	7,375	Stump Extractors	368
Harrows	30,391	Wool Presses	2,364
Hay Presses	1,133	Wool Washing	185
Hay-making Machines	177	Steam Engines	985
Hay Rakes (Horse)	3,253	Reapers	1,503
Threshing Machines	726	Reapers and Binders	1,112
Wine Presses	384	Seed Sowers and Drills	449
Mowing Machines	4,283	Hay-cutting Machines	310

PART VII.—EDUCATION, RELIGION, AND CHARITIES.

No. 200.—Enrolment and Attendance of Children at State Schools, 1880-87.

Year	Gross Enrolment.	Quarterly Enrolment.	Average Attendance.
1880	*	111,277	72,969
1881	146,106	125,506	82,890
1882	166,611	134,872	90,944
1883	155,918	130,205	88,546
1884	167,134	139,159	95,215
1885	173,440	146,570	100,462
1886	179,990	153,244	105,538
1887	184,060	157,262	106,408

* Not ascertained.

No. 201.—Total Cost and Cost per Head of Children at State Schools, 1880-87.

Year.	Total Expenditure.	Receipts from School Fees.	Net Cost to State.	Cost to State per Child of Average Attendance.	Total Cost per Child of Average Attendance.	Amount of Fees received per Child of Average Attendance.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1880	409,281	56,801	352,480	4 16 7	5 12 2	0 15 7
1881	480,000	46,347	433,653	5 4 7	5 15 9	0 11 2
1882	618,800	51,312	567,488	6 4 9	6 16 1	0 11 3
1883	821,853	51,427	770,426	8 14 0	9 5 7	0 11 7
1884	774,357	56,767	717,590	7 10 8	8 2 7	0 11 11
1885	663,508	58,926	604,582	6 0 4	6 12 1	0 11 8
1886	654,411	63,165	591,246	5 12 0	6 4 0	0 11 11
1887	624,983	63,896	561,087	5 5 5	5 17 5	0 12 0

No. 202.—Number of Teachers and Scholars in the University and Schools of the Colony, 1887.

		Number of Schools.				Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars on Rolls.		
		Male.	Female.	Mixed.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Schools under the Department of Public Instruction.	Public Schools...	.....	.....	1,612	1,612	1,945	1,896	3,841	96,079	87,981	184,060
	Provisional Schools	.....	.....	332	332						
	Half-time Schools	.....	.....	194	194						
	House-to-house Schools ...	.....	.....	69	69						
	Evening Schools	.....	.....	23	23						
	High Schools	3	3	.....	6						
	Total...	3	3	2,230	2,236	1,945	1,896	3,841	96,079	87,981	184,060
Reformatories and Industrial Schools.	Nautical School, "Vernon" ...	1	.....	.....	1	15	.....	15	203	.....	203
	Industrial School for Girls, Biloela	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	2	88	90
	Shaftesbury Reformatory for Girls	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	26	26
	Total...	1	2	.....	3	15	2	17	205	114	319
Charitable Institutions—Schools.	Asylum for Destitute Children, Randwick	.....	.....	1	1	3	2	5	154	113	267
	Deaf and Dumb and Blind ...	.....	.....	1	1	2	5	7	48	26	74
	Ragged Schools—Kent-street ...	.....	.....								
	Harrington-street	.....	.....								
	Glebe	.....	.....	4	4	.....	8	8	.....	.....	529
	Waterloo ...	.....	.....								
	Total	.....	.....	6	6	5	15	20	202	139	870

No. 202—*continued.*

		Number of Schools.				Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars on Rolls.		
		Male.	Female.	Mixed.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
University and Colleges.	University of Sydney	.....	.....	1	1	34	.....	34	423*	121*	544*
	St. Paul's College	1	.....	.....	1	2	.....	2	24†	.....	24†
	St. John's College	1	.....	.....	1	4	.....	4	8†	.....	8†
	St. Andrew's College	1	.....	.....	1	2	.....	2	25†	.....	25†
	Sydney Grammar School	1	.....	.....	1	18	.....	18	426	.....	426
	Total	4	.....	1	5	60	.....	60	849	121	970
Private Schools	Undenominational	36	70	259	365	131	651	782	3,671	6,106	9,777
	Church of England	14	13	46	73	64	103	167	1,815	1,514	3,329
	Roman Catholic	29	33	176	238	145	752	897	12,518	14,474	26,992
	Wesleyan	.....	1	2	3	1	10	11	23	93	116
	Presbyterian	2	2	3	7	7	6	13	75	60	135
	Congregational	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	1	3	10	13
	Lutheran	.....	.....	2	2	2	.....	2	47	41	88
	Total	81	119	489	689	350	1,523	1,873	18,152	22,298	40,450
	General Total all Schools, &c...	89	124	2,726	2,939	2,375	3,436	5,811	115,487‡	110,653‡	226,669

* Including Students attending University Extension Lectures. † Included in University, and omitted from general total.
‡ The sexes of children in the Ragged Schools has not been distinguished.

No. 203.—Number of Private Schools, Teachers, and Scholars, during the year 1887.

Religion.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars on Roll.			Average Attendance of Scholars.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Church of England...	73	64	103	167	1,815	1,514	3,329	1,588	1,258	2,846
Roman Catholic ...	238	145	752	897	12,518	14,474	26,992	10,158	12,108	22,266
Wesleyan Methodist ..	3	1	10	11	23	93	116	17	83	100
Presbyterian	7	7	6	13	75	60	135	73	58	131
Congregational ...	1	...	1	1	3	10	13	3	9	12
Lutheran	2	2	...	2	47	41	88	40	33	73
Undenominational ...	365	131	651	782	3,671	6,106	9,777	3,156	5,260	8,416
Total	689	350	1,523	1,873	18,152	22,298	40,450	15,035	18,809	33,844

No. 204.—Number of Public and Private Schools, Teachers, and Scholars, 1876–87.

Year.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1876 ...	1,629	1,267	1,382	2,649	68,802	62,818	131,620
1877 ...	1,695	1,260	1,528	2,788	72,213	66,054	138,267
1878 ...	1,744	1,345	1,583	2,928	77,233	71,555	148,788
1879 ...	1,819	1,416	1,714	3,130	80,575	74,715	155,290
1880 ...	1,910	1,518	1,875	3,393	86,962	82,479	169,441
1881 ...	2,066	1,655	2,117	3,772	84,011	82,525	166,536
1882 ...	2,161	1,799	2,355	4,154	96,937	91,870	188,507
1883 ...	2,315	1,904	2,639	4,543	96,459	93,524	189,983
1884 ...	2,535	2,042	2,818	4,860	103,072	99,447	202,519
1885 ...	2,666	2,165	3,102	5,267	107,174	103,569	210,743
1886 ...	2,833	2,283	3,376	5,659	112,162	108,562	220,724
1887 ...	2,939	2,375	3,436	5,811	115,487	110,653	226,669

No. 205.—Sydney University: Degrees Conferred since Foundation.

Year.	B.A.	M.A.	M.B.	M.D.	LL.B.	LL.D.	B.Sc.	B.E.	Total.
1856	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
1857	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
1858	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1859	8	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
1860	8	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
1861	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
1862	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
1863	16	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	21
1864	5	4	...	...	4	...	...	...	13
1865	6	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
1866	13	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	17
1867	9	2	1	...	1	2	...	...	15
1868	11	4	...	3	2	...	...	...	20
1869	11	7	...	...	3	...	...	...	21
1870	12	9	4	...	...	2	...	...	27
1871	9	7	2	...	3	...	...	...	21
1872	11	7	...	3	1	...	...	...	22
1873	10	6	1	1	1	3	...	...	22
1874	14	6	2	2	...	1	...	...	25
1875	7	11	...	1	...	...	...	...	19
1876	11	17	1	...	...	...	...	...	29
1877	12	6	...	2	...	2	...	...	22
1878	11	8	...	...	...	1	...	...	20
1879	17	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
1880	23	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
1881	10	8	1	2	1	...	...	...	22
1882	19	20	...	9	1	2	...	...	51
1883	21	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	24
1884	22	14	...	1	1	1	...	...	39
1885	25	8	...	...	2	2	2	3	42
1886	20	8	1	2	...	1	...	2	34
1887	24	6	2	1	2	2	4	...	41
Total ...	387	204	16	27	22	21	6	5	688

No. 206.—Sydney University: Number of Students and Results of Public Examinations, 1876–87.

Year.	Number of Students qualified for Matriculation.	Number of Students attending Lectures.	Public Examinations.			
			Number of Seniors who came up.	Number of Juniors who came up.	Number of Seniors who passed.	Number of Juniors who passed.
1876	34	58	53	356	40	212
1877	23	61	63	303	38	135
1878	24	62	58	364	41	243
1879	58	83	76	333	64	247
1880	64	76	66	381	54	209
1881	80	81	48	392	36	231
1882	101	97	57	398	43	240
1883	85	128	57	473	36	299
1884	142	203	65	563	48	379
1885	115	203	84	645	73	440
1886	122	340*	107	858	83	548
1887	132	544*	125	834	87	562

* These figures include 137 non-matriculated students in 1886, and 329 in 1887, who attended courses of evening lectures.

NOTE.—The Public Examinations are similar to the *Middle Class* Examinations of Oxford and Cambridge. They are held annually, in November, and are intended to test the qualifications of boys and girls attending schools or being instructed privately. They are divided into Senior and Junior, and certificates of competency in the *several* subjects of examination are given to the successful candidates. These examinations are *distinct* from the examination for the Civil Service.

No. 207.—Receipts and Expenditure of the University of Sydney, 1876–87.

Year.	Receipts.				Expenditure.
	Government Aid.	College Fees.	Other Sources.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876	5,000 0 0	403 4 6	4,904 13 10	10,307 18 4	10,681 11 8
1877	5,000 0 0	333 18 0	6,261 15 4	11,595 13 4	9,616 17 3
1878	6,168 0 0	324 6 6	3,556 1 1	10,048 7 7	10,849 14 10
1879	5,114 3 6	476 5 7	3,223 7 10	8,813 16 11	8,661 0 9
1880	6,500 0 0	457 9 9	3,960 8 7	10,917 18 4	9,870 16 5
1881	6,000 0 0	705 15 3	8,577 7 11	15,283 3 2	10,693 4 11
1882	12,963 11 0*	1,080 3 6	2,105 15 7	16,149 10 1	12,700 19 3
1883	14,342 15 0†	1,265 15 8	4,040 17 11	19,649 8 7	19,769 12 1
1884	15,500 0 0	2,207 3 2	2,600 15 1	20,307 18 3	18,203 12 7
1885	16,500 0 0	2,108 11 3	1,729 14 10	20,338 6 1	21,577 6 11
1886	17,500 0 0†	2,470 18 2	3,610 3 7	23,581 1 9	23,176 10 10
1887	16,450 0 0†	2,694 1 0	2,487 5 8	21,631 6 8‡	22,929 3 10

* Includes additions, repairs, and furniture.

† Exclusive of additions, repairs, and furniture; and also lighting lamps, &c.

‡ A sum of £1,787 12s. 3d. from the Fisher Estate was also received under an accumulation account.

No. 208.—Number of Students, &c., and Receipts and Expenditure of the Sydney University and Affiliated Colleges, and of the Sydney Grammar School, 1887.

Institution.	Number of Teachers.	Number of Students.	Receipts.			Expenditure.	
			From the Government.	From other sources.	Total.	On buildings.	Total.
			£	£	£	£	£
University	34	544†	16,450*	8,173	24,623	.....	22,929
St. Paul's College ...	2	24	535	1,842	2,377	575	2,600
St. John's College ...	4	8	500	496	996	260	756
St. Andrew's College ...	2	25	500	14,093	14,593	55	2,110
Sydney Grammar School..	8	426	2,100	10,105	12,205	2,297	8,197

*Does not include cost of buildings, &c., carried out by the Government. † Including Students attending the University Extension Lectures.

No. 209.—Art Gallery, Free Libraries, and Museums: Number of Visitors, Receipts, and Expenditure, 1887.

Institutions.	Number of Visitors.				Receipts from Government.	Expenditure.		
	For the year.		Average daily.			Purchases.	Salaries and Maintenance.	Total
	Week-days	Sundays.	Week-days	Sundays.				
					£	£	£	£
Art Gallery	107,289	70,053	344	1,373	5,417	3,317	1,821	5,138
Free Library—								
* Reference Branch...	65,770	3,724	247	163	7,902	2,836	5,066	7,902
Lending Branch ...	67,115	2,594	230	53				
Technological Museum...	28,308	11,911	91	229	3,700	2,779	921	3,700
Australian Museum ...	85,931	36,868	275	709	6,700	4,959	3,576	8,535

*The Reference Branch was closed for three months for the purpose of removing the whole collection into the new wing of the building in Bent-street.

No. 210.—Number of Volumes in the Free Public Library on the 31st December, 1887.

Synopsis of Classification.	Reference Department.	Lending Branch.	Country Libraries (on loan).	Total.
Natural Philosophy, Science, and the Arts	5,691	2,774	495	8,960
History, Chronology, Antiquities, and Mythology ...	4,949	2,373	730	8,052
Biography and Correspondence...	3,409	2,828	723	6,960
Geography, Topography, Voyages and Travels, &c. ...	4,966	2,783	454	8,203
Periodical and Serial Literature...	13,421	.....	.....	13,421
Jurisprudence	2,286	642	48	2,976
Theology, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education	3,101	1,059	65	4,225
Poetry and Drama	1,696	542	69	2,307
Miscellaneous Literature and Collected Works ...	3,973	4,089	237	8,299
Works of Reference and Philology	3,748	.....	.....	3,748
Patents	.....	4,335	.....	4,335
Duplicates and unbound Volumes	1,200	.....	.....	1,200
Pamphlets	2,689	.....	.....	2,689
Books for the Blind	.....	567	.....	567
Total Number of Volumes ...	51,129	22,012	2,821	75,962

No. 211.—Public Libraries and Schools of Art, 1887.

Institutions.	Original Cost of Buildings, where freehold.	Receipts during 1887			Number of Volumes.
		From Government.	Private Contributions.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Sydney Free Library ...	†5,570 12 5	7,901 13 1	.....	†7,901 13 1	75,962
Other Libraries and Schools of Arts, Sydney and Suburbs.	40,057 0 0	1,730 0 9	6,414 8 3	8,144 9 0	46,132
Country Libraries and Schools of Arts.	140,995 0 0	9,863 0 9	16,492 7 8	26,355 8 5	134,920
	*186,622 12 5	19,494 14 7	22,906 15 11	42,401 10 6	257,014

* In four cases the Libraries are connected with the Municipal Buildings, and in one case connected with the Court-house, and the cost is not included in this amount. † Does not include amount expended on buildings as yet unfinished, namely, £4,173 16s. 9d.

No. 212.—Average Attendance at Churches and Chapels and all other Places used for Public Worship, of each Denomination, 1877–87.

Denomination.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
Church of England ...	63,953	65,388	70,550	73,682	71,924	73,043	75,962	74,722	74,535	60,796	73,210
Roman Catholic	60,511	60,769	64,983	69,363	70,467	75,781	70,933	77,801	79,174	72,505	73,442
Presbyterian	19,417	20,142	20,329	21,449	22,374	21,858	25,952	24,579	26,570	19,970	30,400
Wesleyan Methodist ...	33,553	32,683	33,265	35,357	33,421	32,195	38,400	40,718	45,467	37,813	48,691
Other Methodists ...	8,400	8,880	9,650	10,500	10,755	10,920	7,490	6,346	7,698	7,060	8,305
Congregational	7,460	7,460	8,012	8,012	8,012	8,012	9,180	9,440	9,423	8,865	12,911
Baptist	2,527	3,210	3,413	2,107	2,480	2,476	3,392	3,396	3,410	4,095	4,635
Salvation Army	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,000	17,000	28,500	27,000	29,840
Other Denominations ...	1,400	2,328	1,915	1,452	1,598	1,720	3,060	3,195	3,764	3,465	3,532
Total	197,221	200,860	212,117	221,922	221,031	226,005	234,369	240,197	250,041	214,569	284,966

NOTE.—The returns from which this table is compiled were obtained from clergyman and other church authorities. The figures for 1887 denote the average number of persons attending Divine Service on Sundays, those for 1886 denote the number usually attending principal service; for some denominations these figures are identical, but for most churches the former number considerably exceeded the attendance at the principal service, and for this reason the figures for 1886 cannot be used for purposes of comparison with those of the other years given above.

No. 213.—Sunday Schools: Number of Schools and Teachers maintained by various Denominations, and Attendance of Children, 1887.

Denomination.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.			Average attendance of Children.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Church of England... ...	517	1,142	2,193	3,335	15,049	18,617	33,666
Roman Catholic	382	368	1,084	1,452	10,644	13,953	24,597
Presbyterian	214	547	876	1,423	4,983	5,974	10,957
Wesleyan Methodist ...	308	1,227	1,354	2,581	9,876	11,521	21,397
Other Methodists	69	418	332	750	2,900	3,258	6,158
Congregational	70	362	403	765	3,172	3,809	6,981
Baptist	28	152	133	285	996	1,113	2,109
Other Denominations ...	26	88	70	158	713	754	1,467
Total	1,614	4,304	6,445	10,749	48,333	58,999	107,332

No. 214.—Number of Sunday Schools, Teachers, and Scholars, 1876–87.

Yea .	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.	Average Attendance.		
			Male.	Female.	Total.
1876	1,058	7,099	27,443	31,394	58,837
1877	1,121	7,615	28,943	33,094	62,037
1878	1,196	8,063	29,877	34,699	64,576
1879	1,285	8,491	31,802	37,710	69,512
1880	1,340	9,027	33,304	39,089	72,393
1881	1,405	9,289	34,950	40,722	75,672
1882	1,318	9,190	34,393	41,334	75,727
1883	1,441	9,793	35,205	42,610	77,815
1884	1,461	9,426	35,883	43,202	79,085
1885	1,513	9,986	37,991	46,531	84,522
1886	1,596	10,759	47,307	56,354	103,661
1887	1,614	10,749	48,333	58,999	107,332

No. 215.—Amounts paid to the Clergy of different Denominations since the passing of the Act for the Abolition of State Aid to Religion.

Year	Church of England.	Roman Catholic Church.	Presbyterian.	Wesleyan Methodist.	Total—All Denominations.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1863	17,967 0 10	8,748 0 1	2,873 3 11	2,784 12 3	32,372 17 1
1864	17,518 11 1	8,233 19 0	2,614 6 8	1,179 7 9	29,546 4 6
1865	14,111 1 2	7,430 10 2	3,089 13 4	1,572 10 4	26,203 15 0
1866	13,977 12 0	7,445 16 8	2,852 0 0	1,572 10 4	25,847 19 0
1867	13,254 17 0	7,275 0 0	2,852 0 0	1,572 10 4	24,954 7 4
1868	12,766 17 3	7,083 6 8	2,846 15 1	1,965 12 11	24,662 11 11
1869	12,370 3 8	6,796 7 5	2,487 6 11	1,572 10 4	23,226 8 4
1870	12,386 9 6	6,583 6 8	2,179 18 4	1,572 10 4	22,722 4 10
1871	10,994 5 0	6,416 13 4	1,942 11 2	1,572 10 4	20,925 19 6
1872	12,186 12 0	6,034 5 11	1,822 11 3	1,484 1 1	21,527 10 3
1873	11,236 9 6	5,804 3 4	1,702 0 0	1,372 10 0	20,115 2 10
1874	11,224 7 11	5,962 10 0	1,560 3 4	1,372 10 0	20,119 11 3
1875	10,724 18 4	5,608 6 8	1,625 10 0	1,372 10 0	19,331 5 0
1876	10,212 13 3	5,300 0 0	1,778 10 0	1,029 7 7	18,320 10 10
1877	9,803 11 2	5,024 1 2	1,702 0 0	1,715 12 5	18,245 4 9
1878	9,180 2 3	4,550 0 0	1,702 0 0	1,029 7 9	16,461 10 0
1879	8,238 1 1	4,356 19 9	1,702 0 0	1,372 10 4	15,689 11 2
1880	7,739 2 0	3,892 12 1	1,702 0 0	1,715 12 11	15,049 7 0
1881	7,412 4 8	3,729 3 4	1,689 10 0	991 17 9	13,822 15 9
1882	6,557 10 4	3,487 10 0	1,636 3 4	1,455 8 7	13,136 12 3
1883	6,082 10 4	3,245 16 8	1,407 1 8	1,324 7 6	12,059 16 2
1884	5,975 5 2	3,025 0 0	1,177 0 0	1,222 10 0	11,399 15 2
1885	6,040 17 0	3,000 0 0	1,052 0 0	1,136 5 0	11,229 2 0
1886	5,790 17 6	3,000 0 0	902 0 0	1,050 0 0	10,742 17 6
1887	5,790 17 6	2,800 0 0	702 0 0	900 0 0	10,192 17 6

No. 216.—Estimated Number of Clergy and Adherents of different Religious Persuasions, 1887.

Denomination.	*Clergy.	Adherents.	Denomination.	*Clergy.	Adherents.
Church of England	324	474,528	Baptists	30	10,221
Roman Catholic	272	288,159	Other Protestants	16	20,644
Presbyterians	140	100,746	Unitarians	1	1,252
Wesleyan & other Methodists	168	89,483	Hebrews	4	4,589
Congregational	64	19,920	Others	20	33,377
			Total	1,039	1,042,919

* Registered under Acts 19 Vic. Nos. 30 and 34.

No. 217.—Amounts Expended and Collected at Institutions for the Insane, 1887.

Name of Institution.	Total Expenditure.	Collections.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Hospital for the Insane, Gladesville...	25,065 4 10	3,495 6 8
Do Parramatta...	28,271 1 11	2,764 15 6
Do Callan Park	20,537 11 10	3,205 19 4
Do Newcastle	7,965 18 7	536 16 5
Reception House, Darlinghurst	1,616 7 2	15 6 5
Total	83,456 4 4	10,018 4 4

No. 218.—Weekly Cost of Patients in Hospitals for the Insane, 1887.

Institution.	Total No. under care.	Average No. resident.	Total Annual Cost.	Calculated on Average Number resident.							
				Salaries and Allowances.	Provisions, &c., &c.	Amusements, Books, and Periodicals.	Incidental Expenses and Minor Repairs.	Materials for Employment of Patients.	Stores, Bedding, &c.	Total Weekly Cost without deducting Collections.	Weekly Cost deducting Collections.
Hospitals for the Insane:			£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Gladesville ...	932	734	25,065 4 10	5 $1\frac{3}{4}$	5 $0\frac{1}{4}$	$1\frac{3}{4}$	4	$4\frac{1}{4}$	2 $1\frac{1}{2}$	13 $1\frac{1}{2}$	11 $3\frac{1}{2}$
Parramatta ...	1,134	1,020	28,271 1 11	4 1	4 5	$1\frac{1}{4}$	$1\frac{1}{2}$	$2\frac{3}{4}$	1 $8\frac{1}{2}$	10 8	9 $7\frac{1}{2}$
Callan Park ...	827	637	20,537 11 10	4 $9\frac{3}{4}$	5 $3\frac{1}{2}$	2	4	$2\frac{3}{4}$	1 $6\frac{3}{4}$	12 $4\frac{3}{4}$	10 $5\frac{1}{2}$
Newcastle ...	263	238	7,965 18 7	4 $0\frac{1}{2}$	5 $5\frac{1}{4}$	$1\frac{3}{4}$	$5\frac{3}{4}$	$2\frac{3}{4}$	2 $5\frac{3}{4}$	12 $9\frac{3}{4}$	12 0

Average weekly cost for all Hospitals, without deducting collections, 11s. $11\frac{1}{2}$d ; or, deducting collections, 10s. 6d.

No. 219.—Receipts and Expenditure of Hospitals in the Colony, 1887.

	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
RECEIPTS—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Government Aid	26,279 9 3	21,674 4 7	47,953 13 10
Private Contributions	14,482 18 4	24,092 3 6	38,575 1 10
Other sources	10,001 1 0	8,259 1 4	18,260 2 4
Total Receipts	50,763 8 7	54,025 9 5	104,788 18 0
EXPENDITURE—			
Building and Repairs	13,363 6 7	7,834 4 1	21,197 10 8
Maintenance...	41,603 9 0	32,784 16 11	74,388 5 11
Outdoor Relief	1,144 6 1	273 0 10	1,417 6 11
Miscellaneous	3,042 14 4	7,234 5 6	10,276 19 10
Total Expenditure	59,153 16 0	48,126 7 4	107,280 3 4
Assets at close of year	54,722 6 3	51,615 17 11	106,338 4 2
Liabilities at close of year	13,211 2 0	3,534 3 11	16,745 5 11

No. 220.—Hospitals: Persons admitted, discharged or who died, capacity, &c., 1887.

Remaining over from previous year	1,017
Persons admitted	12,397
Discharged, cured, or relieved	10,368
Discharged incurable	301
Discharged at their own request, &c.	471
Died	1,190
Number remaining at the end of year...	1,108
Number of dormitories	303
Capacity of dormitories...	cub. ft. 2,039,492
Number of beds	1,795

No. 221.—Number of Persons in Hospitals on 31st December, 1875–87.

Year.	City and Suburbs.			Country.			Total.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
1875	158	78	236	249	40	289	407	118	525
1876	145	83	228	256	46	302	401	129	530
1877	137	69	206	347	51	398	484	120	604
1878	141	97	238	418	43	461	559	140	699
1879	156	76	232	498	54	552	654	130	784
1880	152	64	216	551	45	596	703	109	812
1881	179	69	248	616	51	667	795	120	915
1882	230	114	344	297	55	352	527	169	696
1883	270	132	402	332	56	388	602	188	790
1884	418	181	599	331	61	392	749	242	991
1885	365	176	541	415	59	474	780	235	1,015
1886	347	182	529	413	75	488	760	257	1,017
1887	435	218	653	367	88	455	802	306	1,108

No. 222.—Number of Adults remaining in Benevolent Asylums at the close of each year, 1876-87.

Asylum.	1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Sydney—																								
Newington*	...	271	...	261	...	261	...	262	...	288	...	277	...	284	...	292	...	312	...	304	...	331	...	366
Pitt-street	2	64	2	50	2	62	2	90	2	75	...	73	...	88	...	107	...	115	...	88	...	83	...	77
Parramatta—																								
George-street	240	...	233	...	237	...	254	...	259	...	237	...	219	...	267	...	339	...	342	...	421	...	644	...
Macquarie-street ...	4	12	3	13	3	13	7	11	7	15	4	16	7	23	268	...	276	...	292	...	297	...	258	...
Liverpool	663	...	715	...	729	...	756	...	707	...	724	...	733	...	724	...	724	...	710	...	741	...	767	...
West Maitland	6	3	8	3	12	2	12	1	9	3	10	3	10	3	12	4	12	4	10	6	23	12	25	10
Singleton	12	2	9	3	12	2	13	4	10	1	10	6	11	4	11	5	12	4	12	2	9	8	8	7
Newcastle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	14	17	11
Totals	927	352	970	330	995	340	1,044	368	994	382	985	375	980	402	1,282	408	1,363	435	1,366	400	1,504	448	1,719	471
	1,279		1,300		1,335		1,412		1,376		1,360		1,382		1,690		1,798		1,766		1,952		2,190	

*Formerly Hyde Park

No. 223.—Ages at which Children have been Placed Out since commencement of the System.

	Number.		Number
Under 1 year	14	7 to 8	218
1 to 2	49	8 to 9	311
2 to 3	168	9 to 10	288
3 to 4	197	10 to 11	247
4 to 5	205	11 to 12	212
5 to 6	178	Over 12	196
6 to 7	222	Total	2,505

No. 224.—Asylums from which Children have been Placed Out since the commencement of the System.

Asylum.	Number of Children.	Asylum.	Number of Children.
Benevolent Asylum, Sydney	1,545	Coast Hospital, Little Bay	26
Randwick Asylum	305	Sydney Hospital	1
Roman Catholic Orphan School	180	Prince Alfred Hospital	2
Protestant Orphan School	182	Lunacy Department	1
N.S.S. "Vernon"	117	Benevolent Asylum, Newcastle	22
Infants' Home, Ashfield	56	Goulburn Hospital	1
Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta	51	Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Institution	1
Children's Hospital, Glebe Point	12	Moore Cliff Hospital	1
Shaftesbury Reformatory	2	Total	2,505

No. 225.—Number of Children placed out by the State Children's Relief Department, 1880-87.

Under control on 31st December.	Supported by Government.			Adopted without payment.			Apprenticed.			Total under Control.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
1880...	20	32	52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	32	52
1881...	34	46	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	46	80
1882...	90	132	222	6	9	15	.....	8	8	96	149	245
1883...	190	236	426	6	10	16	2	10	12	198	256	454
1884...	450	300	750	12	30	42	20	55	75	482	385	867
1885...	624	434	1,058	21	52	73	95	89	184	740	575	1,315
1886...	690	438	1,128	45	71	116	296	159	455	1,031	668	1,699
1887...	780	483	1,263	48	80	128	351	186	537	1,179	749	1,928

The children supported by Government are the only children paid for. The adopted and apprenticed children are not paid for.

No. 226.—Number of Orphan, Industrial, and other Charitable Schools of the Colony, 1887.

Orphan, Industrial Schools, &c.	Inmates on 1 Jan., from previous year.			Admitted in 1887.			Total number.			Discharged, removed, or died.			Number remaining at end of the year.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Nautical School Ship "Vernon"	205	...	205	200	...	200	405	...	405	202	...	202	203	...	203
*Female Industrial School, Parramatta	1	89	90	3	68	71	4	157	161	2	69	71	2	88	90
Shaftesbury Reformatory for Females, South Head.	...	24	24	...	14	14	...	38	38	...	12	12	...	26	26
Asylum for Destitute Children, Randwick ...	157	97	254	34	30	64	191	127	318	37	14	51	154	113	267
Sydney Female School of Industry	...	34	34	...	11	11	...	45	45	...	4	4	...	41	41
Deaf and Dumb and Blind Institution	46	29	75	9	3	12	55	32	87	7	6	13	48	26	74
	409	273	682	246	126	372	655	399	1,054	248	105	353	407	294	701
†Ragged Schools	226	218	444	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	529
Total	635	491	1,126	246	126	372	655	399	1,054	248	105	353	407	294	1,230

* Formerly Biloela. † These are four in number and are in Kent-street and Harrington-street, Sydney, Glebe, and Waterloo.

No. 227.—Number of Destitute Children—including those detained at Parramatta and on the "Vernon"—supported by the State or Public Charity, 1875-87.

Institution.	1875.		1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Orphan School (Protestant)	156	93	165	90	176	84	171	79	157	77	152	80	147	79	149	37	124	22	48	13	34	11	*33	*11	...	...
Orphan School (R.C.) ...	176	140	187	145	184	149	187	161	190	150	177	143	178	142	156	100	130	63	63	26	45	18	*45	*18	...	...
"Vernon" Nautical School	103	...	100	...	92	...	113	...	124	...	148	...	177	...	186	...	213	...	202	...	202	...	205	...	203	...
† Parramatta Industrial School	4	58	5	75	9	83	14	76	18	97	16	101	21	109	16	114	13	106	10	95	6	100	1	89	2	88
Shaftesbury Reformatory...	...	9	...	14	...	6	...	3	...	4	...	11	...	19	...	29	...	27	...	25	...	29	...	24	...	26
Randwick Asylum... ...	335	236	331	217	340	230	335	224	373	268	370	269	395	276	387	256	358	187	253	99	123	76	157	97	154	113
Benevolent Asylum (children)	182		194		191		164		191		177		147		156		161		149		122		130		101	
Infants' Home, Ashfield ...	8	13	10	13	14	15	35	20	48	29	30	16	30	17	30	20	20	11	34	20	19	13	20	15	8	15
State Children's Relief Department	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	32	34	46	90	132	190	236	450	300	624	434	690	438	780	483
Total	1,513		1,546		1,573		1,582		1,726		1,742		1,817		1,858		1,861		1,787		1,856		1,866		1,973	

* Closed, September, 1886—not included in totals. † Formerly Biloela

No. 228.—Number of Persons in various Charitable Institutions, mainly supported by Private Charity, at the end of each year, 1875-87.

Institution.	1875.		1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Industrial Blind Institution	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	10	...	20	...	20	...	21	...	22	...
Consumptives' Home ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	4	12	5	13	4	19	8	22	10
House of the Good Samaritan.	...	140	...	98	...	57	...	57	...	68	...	94	...	49	...	56	...	84	...	62	...	64	...	80	...	66
Sydney Female Refuge ...	...	27	...	34	...	40	...	47	...	46	...	37	...	40	...	47	...	37	...	43	...	44	...	48	...	44
Infants' Home, Ashfield (women)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	12	...	23	...	11	...	19	...	22
City Night Refuge, &c. ...	40	1	44	...	24	...	20	...	20	...	20	...	20	...	20	...	20	...	20	...	19	...	18	...	18	...
Total	40	168	44	132	24	97	20	104	20	114	20	131	20	89	29	123	42	137	52	133	52	123	58	155	62	156

PART VIII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 229.—Number of Licensed (Publicans') Houses in each Licensing District, 1887.

Licensing District.	No.	Licensing District.	No.	Licensing District.	No.
Albury	39	Germanton	8	Parramatta	42
Armidale	45	Glen Innes	17	Paterson...	5
Ballina	26	Gosford	3	Patrick's Plains	21
Balranald...	17	Goulburn...	60	Penrith	17
Barraba	5	Grafton	43	Picton	5
Bathurst	71	Grenfell	19	Port Macquarie	6
Bega	23	Gundagai...	26	Port Stephens	12
Bellinger...	12	Gunnedah	20	Queanbeyan	19
Berrima	22	Hartley	28	Quirindi	12
Bingera	8	Hay	36	Raymond Terrace ...	5
Bombala	9	Hillston	36	Richmond River... ...	15
Bourke	53	Hill End	7	Ryde	11
Braidwood	13	Inverell	29	Rylstone	7
Brewarrina	29	Jerilderie	7	Scone	8
Brisbane Water	16	Kiama	10	Shoalhaven	15
Broulee	15	Lismore	18	Silverton	40
Burrowa	16	Liverpool...	20	Tamworth	40
Camden	5	Maclean	21	Temora	30
Campbelltown	8	Macleay River	19	Tenterfield	25
Carcoar	33	Maitland	61	Tumbarumba	10
Cassilis	11	Manning River	16	Tumut	19
Cobar	23	Menindie...	9	Tweed River	13
Condobolin	11	Metropolitan	846	Urana	8
Cooma	28	Milparinka	19	Wagga Wagga	61
Coonabarabran	9	Mitchell	29	Walcha	6
Coonamble	20	Moama	10	Walgett	25
Cootamundra	18	Molong	33	Waratah	65
Copeland...	5	Moree	22	Warialda...	9
Corowa	21	Mudgee	45	Wellington	19
Cowra	12	Murrurundi	9	Wentworth	19
Deniliquin	35	Muswellbrook	10	Windsor	22
Dowling	4	Narrabri	35	Wollombi	5
Dubbo	88	Narrandera	28	Wollongong	25
Dungog	7	Newcastle	107	Yass	19
Eden	11	Nymagee	12	Young	36
Emmaville	8	Orange	40		
Forbes	27	Parkes	13	Total	3,270

No. 230.—Abstract of Meteorological Observations

Latitude, 33° 51′ 41·1″ south ; longitude, 150° 12′ 42·15″

Month.	Self-registering Electric Barograph, corrected to 32°.						Wind.													
	Highest Reading.	Date.	Lowest Reading.	Date.	Mean Height.	Average for preceding 23 years.	Greatest Pressure.	Date.	Mean Pressure.	Total in Miles.	Prevailing direction.	Prevailing direction for 23 years.	Mean Maximum in Shade.	Highest in Shade.	Date.	Mean Minimum in Shade.	Lowest in Shade.	Date.	Greatest Range.	Date.
Jan...	30·008	6	29·464	24	29·746	29·769	5·8	25	0·8	8,653	N.E.	N.E.	79·1	86·6	30	67·6	61·6	17	18·5	17
Feb...	·212	21	·198	17	·795	·801	8·4	17	0·6	7,052	N.E.	S.	76·7	87·0	28	64·9	58·1	19	18·6	19
March	·367	28	·553	25	·883	·890	5·8	2	0·5	6,849	S.E.	N.E.	76·5	84·9	21	65·8	58·7	25	17·2	25
April	·291	25	·629	3	30·047	·935	8·8	10	0·6	6,884	S.	W.	69·9	88·9	3	60·4	51·6	20	18·5	3
May..	·260	27	·641	12	29·963	·913	7·2	19	0·5	6,501	W.	W.	62·1	70·6	2	50·9	42·6	14	16·0	22
June	·362	28	·409	12	·786	·931	14·6	26	0·9	8,834	W.	W.	57·6	65·5	3	47·8	42·6	17	14·7	17
July	·311	12	·423	22	·888	·954	31·2	10	0·8	8,440	W.	W.	59·7	72·7	31	47·9	40·6	9	20·9	30
Aug.	·330	11	·536	31	30·048	·927	24·5	13	0·7	7,162	W.	W.	60·1	66·1	3	49·4	42·5	8	17·1	3
Sept.	·132	13	·279	24	29·794	·882	16·2	6	0·9	8,321	W.	W.	64·6	72·6	1, 22	50·8	44·1	12	21·3	1
Oct...	·120	16	·326	18	·809	·830	23·1	19	0·7	8,019	N.E.	N.E.	70·7	94·3	18	56·4	47·6	13	34·1	18
Nov.	·144	22	·520	6	·871	·807	10·6	13	0·6	7,011	S.E.	S.	70·7	85·1	26	57·9	52·2	9, 10	25·7	25
Dec.	·139	12	·510	6	·910	·742	12·5	7	0·6	8,059	N.E.	N.E.	74·9	86·7	6	63·1	55·6	10	26·5	6
Sums	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	91,785	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Means	..	..	..	..	29·878	29·865	14·1	..	0·7	..	W.	W.	68·6	80·1	..	56·9	50·1	..	20·8	..
Extremes	30·367	Mar 28	29·198	Feb 17	30·048	29·954	31·2	July 10	..	8,834	..	..	..	94·3	Oct. 18	..	40·6	July 9	24·1	Oct. 18

taken at the Sydney Observatory in the year 1887.

east; magnetic variation, 9° 35′ 37″ east.

Temperature.								Rain.							Evaporation—Total Amount.	Number of Days Lightning.	Clouds—Mean Amount.	Number of Clear Days.	Meteors Observed.	Month.
Mean Diurnal Range.	Mean in Shade.	Average for preceding 28 years.	Highest in Sun.	Date.	Lowest on Grass.	Date.	Mean Temperature of sea-water 3 ft. below surface in harbour.	Greatest Fall in one day.	Date.	No. of Days Rain.	No. of Days Dew.	Total Fall of Rain.	Total Fall of Dew.	Average Rainfall for preceding 28 years.						
11·5	73·3	71·4	137·2	14	57·1	3, 9	73·7	1·942	21	19	3	6·295	0·005	3·523	4·049	3	5·9	1	0	Jan.
11·8	70·8	71·0	136·0	15	52·1	19	73·2	1·106	4	18	1	4·413	0·001	5·568	3·518	2	6·4	3	0	Feb.
10·7	71·2	69·3	132·0	21	48·3	25	70·8	0·848	15	17	2	2·868	0·003	4·755	3·070	1	7·0	2	0	March.
9·5	65·2	64·8	124·0	3	45·9	20	68·4	1·763	13	23	5	7·105	0·017	6·517	2·262	2	5·7	2	0	April.
11·1	56·5	58·5	111·3	1	31·1	14	63·5	2·827	29	16	8	9·169	0·027	4·973	1·962	2	5·0	5	0	May.
9·8	52·7	54·3	96·7	20	33·2	25	59·5	1·367	3	15	4	5·525	0·007	5·472	1·460	2	5·0	1	0	June.
11·8	53·9	52·5	106·8	31	30·2	9	57·6	1·347	12	10	3	3·635	0·007	4·276	1·811	0	3·8	9	0	July.
10·7	54·8	55·1	99·3	27	32·1	8	57·9	1·712	14	17	7	7·309	0·022	2·818	1·467	3	5·3	5	0	August.
13·9	57·7	58·8	109·2	19	33·9	5	59·5	1·156	14	10	4	1·555	0·017	3·066	2·939	6	2·2	9	0	Sept.
14·3	63·8	63·3	136·0	18	39·3	21	63·2	0·265	12	12	12	1·338	0·025	3·126	3·625	8	4·0	6	0	Oct.
12·8	64·3	66·5	130·6	26	46·8	24	65·2	1·527	9	17	8	5·656	0·015	3·132	3·467	2	6·7	2	0	Nov.
11·8	69·0	69·7	133·2	1	47·3	9	68·8	1·587	26	16	7	5·140	0·010	2·263	4·712	2	5·3	4	0	Dec.
....	....	....	....	..	....	..	....	....	..	190	64	60·008	0·156	49·489	34·342	33	..	49	0	Sums.
11·6	62·8	62·9	121·0	..	41·4	..	65·1	....	..	..	..	....	....	....	....	..	5·2	..	..	Means.
14·3	73·3	71·4	137·2	Jan. 14	30·2	July 9	....	2·827	May 29	..	..	....	....	....	4·712	8	7·0	9	0	Extremes.

No. 231.—Mean Temperature of each Month, 1856–1887.

Year.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Means.
1856...	69·0	69·6	68·6	64·7	56·1	49·2	46·9	52·6	55·8	62·2	62·9	65.7	60·3
1857...	70·2	71·2	68·0	64·1	54·5	53·0	52·2	51·9	55·1	59·7	64·7	68·6	61·1
1858...	73·0	69·6	67·6	62·4	57·1	52·2	50·2	52·2	56·0	60·3	64·4	67·2	61·0
1859...	70·6	69·8	68·2	63·8	58·5	52·5	50·6	55·3	57·3	65·3	66·4	69·5	62·3
1860...	70·6	68·7	70·6	64·8	57·4	53·4	51·8	54·7	57·5	61·3	63·8	67·2	61·8
1861...	69·7	71·6	71·5	64·7	56·6	54·6	51·1	52·4	57·6	64·3	64·5	69·0	62·3
1862...	70·6	71·7	70·4	62·4	57·7	54·4	52·5	52·3	59·9	62·0	68·1	69·9	62·7
1863...	71·9	72·1	69·4	63·8	59·0	55·0	52·6	53·9	57·0	62·3	66·4	67·8	62·6
1864...	72·1	69·3	67·7	64·6	58·2	54·1	53·3	54·9	59·2	60·4	64·9	67·0	62·6
1865...	69·5	71·1	69·2	66·4	56·5	52·9	51·0	55·0	61·1	64·1	67·7	70·5	62·9
1866...	71·4	71·2	68·2	66·8	60·5	56·8	52·9	54·8	59·5	62·8	66·6	68·1	63·3
1867...	71·1	70·8	68·5	66·4	61·0	56·2	54·3	54·7	59·3	68·5	69·4	70·9	64·3
1868...	70·7	69·5	69·5	64·4	58·6	55·8	53·0	54·0	59·7	66·5	65·5	72·0	63·3
1869...	72·9	70·1	71·6	65·1	58·3	55·2	52·3	55·4	56·7	62·0	66·3	70·1	63·0
1870...	71·5	72·0	68·1	66·0	58·5	54·0	52·4	53·5	57·9	64·3	67·0	68·5	62·8
1871...	69·5	70·7	65·7	63·9	59·5	53·8	53·1	55·7	58·8	60·6	65·7	71·6	62·4
1872...	73·2	71·9	68·0	62·1	56·5	55·5	53·1	52·0	58·0	63·1	67·3	70·3	62·6
1873...	69·7	70·5	67·9	63·6	60·2	57·8	51·4	56·5	60·1	63·9	62·9	70·3	63·0
1874...	71·6	70·2	69·7	66·2	58·9	53·2	51·2	53·5	57·7	65·8	67·5	70·7	63·0
1875...	72·7	69·7	69·6	65·0	57·0	55·6	52·5	57·3	57·4	64·5	68·1	70·7	63·3
1876...	72·6	71·0	71·9	65·8	60·1	54·1	52·8	54·8	59·2	63·1	67·3	70·0	63·6
1877...	72·0	72·3	69·9	64·7	59·4	54·9	54·9	56·3	58·4	62·4	68·2	71·6	63·8
1878...	72·5	72·0	72·0	66·1	57·7	51·3	52·7	56·4	60·2	63·6	68·6	70·4	63·6
1879...	71·9	70·6	67·6	62·2	56·7	52·2	51·5	55·3	59·6	63·6	66·1	68·2	62·1
1880...	71·5	70·8	69·9	64·9	57·8	52·8	51·0	57·4	59·6	61·1	66·8	70·0	62·8
1881...	69·9	70·2	70·0	63·8	60·5	52·9	51·2	54·8	58·1	59·8	65·5	70·0	62·2
1882...	72·3	71 2	70·6	64·2	58·6	53·3	52·0	55·9	61·6	63·6	66·2	69·7	63·3
1883...	70·3	70·2	67·9	63·6	58·8	54·6	52·2	55·8	56·8	62·1	64·4	70·8	62·3
1884...	71·6	72·0	68·4	64·5	58·3	54·4	54·9	56·9	58·9	63·3	65·3	70·4	63·2
1885...	72·5	72·7	69·2	64·6	60·0	54·4	52·8	57·0	61·7	64·9	66·7	70·8	63·9
1886...	72·8	72·7	68·3	65·4	58·7	53·8	53·8	55·8	58·9	63·5	68·8	69·2	63·5
1887...	73·3	70·8	71·2	65·2	56·5	52·7	53·9	54·8	57·7	63·8	64·3	69·0	62·8
Means.	71·4	70·9	69·2	64·6	58·2	54·0	52·3	54·8	58·5	63·1	66 2	69·6	62·7

No. 232.—Average Readings of Maximum Thermometer at Sydney, for each Month, 1856–1887.

Year.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Means.
1856..	77·6	78·7	77·3	74·7	66·1	60·9	58·2	65·8	68·3	73·6	72·2	75·5	70·8
1857...	81·1	79·6	76·3	72·4	64·0	62·1	62·0	62·6	62·6	67·2	70·0	78·2	71·0
1858...	84·1	80·2	76·8	71·9	67·0	61·5	60·8	64·6	67·8	71·2	75·3	76·7	71·5
1859...	78·2	77·7	75·3	73·6	67·0	60·2	58·4	63·8	64·9	74·9	74·4	77·7	70·5
1860...	78·4	74·5	77·0	71·3	65·4	59·8	58·4	60·8	64·2	68·0	70·9	73·4	68·5
1861...	76·8	79·3	78·1	70·4	63·7	61·9	57·0	59·2	66·0	72·9	73·0	77·4	69·6
1862...	78·7	78·1	78·4	70·9	65·4	61·1	60·6	60·9	68·4	70·6	76·2	77·0	70·5
1863...	78·1	78 8	76·0	70·8	65·8	60·0	59·6	61·1	65·1	69·9	76·3	76·2	69·8
1864...	80 8	75·4	73·7	71·4	65·2	59·9	59·8	62·1	67·6	67·4	72·7	74·0	69·2
1865...	76·8	78·5	76·4	73·4	64·1	60·5	58·6	63·5	71·4	73·7	76·0	76·4	70·8
1866...	79·5	78·1	74·9	73·8	67·5	61·9	59·2	63·0	67·9	70·6	73·6	74·8	70·4
1867...	77·5	77·3	74·9	70·7	65·9	62·1	61·9	62·5	66·1	77·7	78·9	78·8	71·2
1868...	76·9	74·9	76·1	72·7	66·0	62·4	59·7	61·6	67·5	75·1	71·9	79·8	70·4
1869...	80·0	76·6	78·0	70·4	64·4	61·8	59·6	63·4	63·8	69·2	73·4	76·9	69·8
1870...	78·4	77·9	72·3	71·2	63·7	61·3	59·4	60·7	65·0	70·6	73·9	75·4	69·2
1871...	75·7	76·4	72·4	70·6	65·2	60·7	60·9	65·3	66·5	68·0	72·7	79·3	69·5
1872...	79·5	77·8	73·9	68·9	63·3	62·0	59·9	59·5	66·1	70·2	73·1	76·5	69·2
1873...	75 7	76·8	74·2	69·7	67·2	62·9	58·2	64·1	68·3	71·2	69·0	78·5	69·7
1874...	76·9	75·9	75·4	71·6	64·6	59·5	57·7	61·5	65·7	74·7	76·1	78·9	69·9
1875...	80·0	75·0	74·7	70·5	63·5	61·7	59·1	65·9	66·2	72·2	77·3	79·6	70·5
1876...	78·9	77·5	78·1	73·6	65·3	61·0	58·4	62·1	66·5	70·4	74·1	77·1	70·3
1877..	78·3	78·6	75·5	71·5	65·2	61·8	60·4	64·4	65·6	69·8	75·2	79·8	70·5
1878...	78·7	76·9	77·5	72·7	65·2	57·7	59·8	64·6	67·6	71·3	76·7	77·0	70·5
1879...	77·7	76·3	73·0	68·2	62·2	58·3	57·5	60·9	65·3	71·4	73·1	74·5	68·2
1880...	78·1	75·3	75·3	70·3	65·1	59·9	58·5	65·9	66·0	68·0	73·8	77·2	69·5
1881...	75·6	76·0	76·4	69·8	66·9	58·8	58·2	62·6	64·9	66·9	72·5	76·6	68·8
1882...	78·7	77·6	76·7	70·2	65·4	59·1	59·3	62·7	71·0	70·1	72·5	77·9	70·1
1883...	76·5	76·1	74·7	70·2	64·3	61·9	59·0	64·0	64·1	68·5	71·6	79·2	69·2
1884...	78·9	78·8	75·3	69·6	64·4	60·7	61·7	65·3	66·7	70·2	71·4	78·6	70·1
1885...	79·2	79·5	75·7	70·8	67·7	60·0	58·8	65·5	69·9	72·2	74·1	77·4	70·9
1886...	79·5	80·6	75·7	71·2	66·0	59·7	59·6	62·7	66·8	71·2	75·3	75·1	70·3
1887...	79·1	76·7	76·5	69·9	62·1	57·6	59·7	60·1	64·6	70·7	70·7	74·9	68·6
Means.	78·4	77·4	75·7	71·2	65·2	60·6	59·4	62·9	66·5	70·9	73·7	77·1	70·0

No. 233.—Average Readings of Minimum Thermometer, at Sydney, for each Month, 1856–87.

Year.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Means.
1856...	60·3	60·5	59·9	54·7	45·9	37·4	35·6	39·3	43·2	50·8	53·5	55·9	49·8
1857...	59·2	62·7	59·6	55·7	45·0	43·9	42·3	41·2	42·9	49·4	53·4	58·9	51·2
1858...	61·8	59·0	58·4	52·8	47·2	42·8	39·5	39·7	44·2	49·4	53·4	57·7	50·5
1859...	62·9	61·8	61·0	53·9	50·0	44·7	42·8	46·7	49·6	55·6	58·4	61·3	54·1
1860...	62 7	62·8	64·1	58·3	49·4	47·0	45·2	48·5	50·7	54·5	56·6	60·9	55·1
1861...	62·6	63·9	64·9	59·0	49·5	47·2	45·2	45·5	49·2	55·6	55·9	60·5	54·9
1862...	62·4	65·2	62·3	53·9	49·9	47·6	44·4	43·6	51·4	53·4	59·9	62·8	54·7
1863...	65·6	65·4	62·8	56·8	52·2	49·9	45·5	46·6	48·9	54·6	56·5	59·4	55·4
1864...	63·9	62·5	61·4	57·7	51·1	48·1	45·2	50·8	50·8	53·4	57·0	60·0	55·2
1865...	62·5	63·4	61·1	58·3	49·0	46·2	43·3	46·2	51·2	54·4	59·6	59·3	54·5
1866...	64·3	64·2	62·0	59·5	53·9	57·7	45·5	46·9	50·9	55·0	58·9	61·5	56·7
1867...	64·7	64·3	62·0	62·0	56·1	50·3	46·8	46·9	52·4	59·1	59·9	63·7	57·4
1868...	64·4	64·3	62·9	56·3	51·2	49·0	46·2	46·5	51·8	57·8	59·2	64·0	56·1
1869...	65·8	63·6	65·1	59·4	52·2	48·5	45·3	47·3	49·7	54·9	59·6	63·2	56·2
1870...	64·5	65·9	63·9	60·4	53·3	48·1	45·4	46·3	50·7	58·0	60·1	61·5	56·5
1871...	63·3	65·1	59·0	57·2	53·7	46·8	45·2	46·0	51·1	53·2	58·7	64·0	55·3
1872...	66·7	65·9	62·1	55·3	49·6	49·0	46·3	44·3	49·9	56·0	61·4	64·1	55·9
1873...	63·6	64·1	61·6	57·5	53·0	52·6	44·6	48·8	51·7	56·6	56·8	64·0	56·2
1874...	66·3	64·5	63·9	60·8	53·1	46·8	44·6	45·5	49·6	57·0	58·7	62·8	56·1
1875...	65·5	64·3	63·9	59·5	50·4	49·4	45·8	48·5	48·5	56·7	59·0	61·8	56·1
1876...	66·2	64·5	65·6	58·0	54·9	47·3	47·1	47·5	51·9	55·8	60·4	62·8	56·8
1877...	65·7	65·8	64·3	57·8	53·4	47·9	49·1	48·1	51·2	55·0	61·1	63·3	56·9
1878...	66·3	67·0	66·2	59·3	50·2	44·9	45·6	48·2	52·9	55·9	60·3	63·7	56·7
1879...	66·0	64·8	62·2	56·2	51·1	46·1	45·4	49·6	53·9	55·8	58·8	61·8	56·0
1880...	64·7	66·2	64·3	59·6	50·6	45·6	43·5	48·8	53·2	54·2	59·7	62·6	56·1
1881...	64·2	64·4	63·5	57·7	54·1	47·0	44·2	47·0	51·2	52·7	58·4	63·4	55·7
1882...	65·8	64·7	64·3	58·2	51·8	47·5	45·5	48·8	52·6	57·2	59·9	61·6	56·5
1883...	64·1	64·3	61·0	57·1	53·3	47·3	45·4	47·8	49·6	55·5	57·2	62·4	55·4
1884...	64·1	65·2	61·5	59·4	52·3	48·1	48·1	48·6	51·1	56·2	59·1	62·1	56·3
1885...	65·7	65·8	62·5	58·4	52·2	48·8	46·8	48·4	53·4	57·5	59·3	64·2	56·9
1886...	66·1	64·9	60·9	59·5	51·2	47·7	48·0	49·0	52·3	55·8	62·2	63·3	56·7
1887...	67·6	64·9	65·8	60·4	50·9	47·8	47·9	49·4	50·8	56·4	57·9	63·1	56·9
Means	64·4	64·2	62·6	57·8	51·3	47·5	45·0	46·8	50·4	55·1	58·5	62·0	55·5

No. 234.—Number of Electors in each Electorate in New South Wales, upon the Roll for each year since 1880.

Electoral Districts.	Number of Members in 1887.	Rolls for 1880. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1881-82. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1882-83. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1883-84. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1884-85. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1885-86. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1886-87. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1887-88. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.
Albury	1	1,365	1,234	1,136	1,322	1,288	1,322	1,447	1,444
Argyle	2	2,770	2,819	2,759	2,897	2,912	2,692	2,759	2,783
Balmain	3	3,221	3,859	4,354	5,119	5,757	6,759	7,900	8,686
Balranald	2	2,949	3,404	3,387	3,615	3,765	3,777	4,036	4,064
Bathurst	1	1,426	1,445	1,463	1,637	1,720	1,773	1,863	1,962
Bogan, The ...	2	3,280	3,250	3,577	4,628	4,722	4,386	4,876	4,923
Boorowa	1	1 387	1,353	1,291	1,202	1,104	1,107	1,103	1,081
Bourke	2	3,748	3,494	3,972	5,768	5,714	3,889	4,431	5,289
Braidwood	1	1,564	1,619	1,601	1,609	1,403	1,427	1,501	1,571
Camden	2	3,438	3,637	3,931	4,271	4,448	4,448*	4,977	5,347
Canterbury ...	4	5,421	5,761	6,737	8,059	9,470	10,520	12,645	15,221
Carcoar	2	2,667	2,689	2,858	3,006	3,105	3,095	3,514	3,814
Clarence, The ...	1	1,956	1,721	1,638	1,728	1,772	1,832	1,951	1,934
Central Cumberland	3	3,523	3,597	3,860	4,761	5,841	6,011	7,882	9,005
Durham	1	1,472	1,481	1,489	1,438	1,429	1,433	1,491	1,543
Eden	2	2,582	2,605	2,740	2,808	3,008	3,140	3,289	3,425
Forbes	2	2,704	2,617	2,674	3,054	2,548	2,461	2,409	2,384
Glebe, The ...	2	1,967	2,147	2,359	2,755	3,129	3,256	3,653	4,042
Glen Innes ...	1	1,575	1,577	1,860	2,257	2,218	2,426	2,832	3,040
Gloucester	1	1,527	1,678	1,426	1,696	1,548	1,655	1,638	1,725
Goulburn	1	1,546	1,596	1,657	1,822	1,949	2,079	2,187	2,200
Grafton	1	1,897	1,918	1,965	1,981	2,008	2,124	2,068	2,128
Grenfell	1	1,614	1,646	1,550	1,692	1,524	1,456	1,597	1,647
Gundagai	1	1,749	1,806	1,744	1,817	1,896	2,375	2,614	2,224
Gunnedah	1	1,916	1,956	2,085	1,876	1,872	1,953	2,047	1,982
Gwydir, The ...	1	1,949	1,791	1,684	1,817	1,799	1,961	2,174	2,390
Hartley	1	1,677	1,719	2,012	1,965	2,047	2,003	2,220	2,325
Hastings and Manning, The.	2	2,328	2,356	2,379	2,515	2,556	2,590	2,933	3,012
Hawkesbury, The ...	1	1,971	2,021	2,025	2,075	2,031	2,103	2,283	2,328
Hume, The ...	2	2,949	3,016	2,777	2,654	2,665	2,713	2,606	2,640
Hunter, The ...	1	1,366	1,356	1,274	1,253	1,288	1,364	1,403	1,530
Hunter, The Upper	2	2,790	2,773	2,668	2,715	2,743	2,822	2,871	2,947
Illawarra	1	1,831	1,743	1,711	1,692	1,792	2,365	2,873	3,111
Inverell	1	1,783	1,882	1,779	1,908	1,883	1,839	2,049	2,177
Kiama	1	1,288	1,335	1,379	1,484	1,491	1,565	1,621	1,774
Macleay, The ...	1	1,738	1,808	1,894	2,089	2,216	2,577	3,032	3,367
Macquarie, East ...	2	2,055	2,070	2,062	2,008	2,077	2,239	2,805	2,842

* The Roll for 1885-86 not having been perfected, the Roll for 1884-85 was partially used in substitution for it.

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Electoral Districts.	Number of Members in 1887.	Rolls for 1880. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1881-82. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1882-83. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1883-84. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1884-85. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1885-86. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1886-87. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.	Rolls for 1887-88. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate.
Macquarie, West ...	1	1,112	1,122	1,080	1,037	1,050	1,083	1,109	1,133
Maitland, East ...	1	966	966	984	982	1,018	1,075	1,161	1,227
Maitland, West ...	1	1,223	1,233	1,214	1,349	1,468	1,647	1,633	1,773
Molong	1	1,855	1,937	1,859	1,754	1,722	1,866	1,867	1,887
Monaro	2	2,590	2,653	2,736	2,843	2,773	2,846	3,109	3,553
Morpeth	1	1,169	1,178	1,162	1,191	1,187	1,189	1,250	1,281
Mudgee	3	4,443	4,491	4 982	5 120	4,638	4,026	3,933	3,808
Murray, The ...	2	3,191	3,316	2,942	3,010	2,768	2,721	2,879	2,846
Murrumbidgee, The	3	5,258	5,143	4,876	5,979	6,805	6,961	7,936	7,750
Namoi, The ...	1	1,744	1,758	1,987	2,173	2,148	2,163	2,517	2,707
Nepean, The ...	1	1,338	1 336	1,474	1,568	1,676	1,717	1,862	2,148
Newcastle	2	3,383	3 338	3,312	3,532	3,875	4,362	5,160	6,153
New England ...	2	3,430	3,582	3,923	4,061	3,625	3,635	3,908	3,910
Newtown	3	3,376	3,524	3,812	4,358	4,929	5,406	6,123	6,766
Northumberland ...	3	3,765	3,567	3,563	3 754	4,066	4,940	5,482	6,206
Orange	2	2,463	2,626	2,702	2,426	2,444	2,689	2,684	2,682
Paddington ...	3	4,044	4,273	4,546	5,358	6,034	6,728	7,742	8,381
Parramatta... ...	1	1,429	1,473	1,538	1,707	1,829	1,875	2,046	2,170
Patrick's Plains ...	1	1,522	1,538	1,561	1,475	1,524	1,573	1,737	1,785
Queanbeyan ...	1	1,712	1,681	1,679	1,601	1,597	1,936	2,608	1,920
Redfern	4	5,409	5,358	5,947	6,630	7,385	7,675	8,592	9,159
Richmond, The ...	2	2,632	2,673	2,924	3,686	3,999	4,668	5,170	5,439
Shoalhaven ...	1	1,938	1,941	1,942	1,959	1,990	2,022	2,166	2,335
St. Leonards ...	2	2,717	2,810	3,082	3,523	3,831	4,264	5,283	5,807
Sydney, East ...	4	8,992	8,504	8,045	8,923	8,799	10,240	10,888	10,889
Sydney, South ...	4	8,127	7,997	7,905	8,562	8,978	8,724	9,620	9,730
Sydney, West ...	4	8,882	9,451	9,330	10,061	10,036	10,439	11,523	11,442
Tamworth	2	3,638	3,442	3,015	2,884	2,882	2,871	3,067	3,208
Tenterfield	1	1,411	1,353	1,385	1,412	1,910	2,312	2,326	2,320
Tumut	1	1,931	1,898	1,854	1,907	1,840	1,844	1,744	1,737
Wellington... ...	1	1,639	1,527	1,268	1,341	1,269	1,316	1,342	1,441
*Wentworth ...	2	1,901	1,900	2,997	3,828	3,835	4,882	5,444	5,617†
Wollombi	1	1,288	1,299	1,347	1,409	1,435	1,672	1,912	2,134
Yass Plains ...	1	1,858	1,891	2,002	1,990	1,923	1,838	1,953	1,972
Young	2	3,049	4,656	3,518	3,629	3,457	3,502	3,425	3,171
Grand Total...	124	188,414	192,214	196,250	214,016	221,483	232,244	256,781	270,394

* This Electorate was subdivided by Act of Parliament (51 Victoria No. 24) into *three* Electoral Districts, viz. :—Wentworth, Wilcannia, and Sturt, each to return *one* Member. The Act to commence and take effect from date of next dissolution of the Legislative Assembly. † The Roll for 1887-88 not having been perfected, the Roll for 1886-87 was partially used in substitution for it.

No. 235.—Total Receipts and Expenditure under the Copyright Act of 1879.

Year.	Registrations.	Receipts.	Expenditure.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1879	94	28 11 0	100 0 0
1880	202	52 2 0	200 0 0
1881	132	35 2 0	211 18 6
1882	85	27 14 0	210 13 9
1883	113	26 3 0	200 10 0
1884	181	47 15 0	216 7 0
1885	134	40 3 0	203 16 1
1886	130	41 2 0	200 5 0
1887	208	60 2 0	267 8 6
Grand Totals	1,279	358 14 0	1,810 18 10

No. 236.—Number of Letters of Registration and Assignments thereof for Inventions or Improvements registered 1855–1887.

Year.	Registrations.			Year.	Registrations.		
	Patents.	Assignments.	Total.		Patents.	Assignments.	Total.
1855 ...	.....	.....	3	1873 ...	43	6	49
1856 ...	.....	.....	1	1874 ...	39	21	60
1857 ...	.....	.....	1	1875 ...	34	16	50
1858 ...	.....	.....	10	1876 ...	44	18	62
1859 ...	.....	.....	11	1877 ...	62	27	89
1860 ...	.....	.....	10	1878 ...	45	19	64
1861 ...	.....	.....	13	1879 ...	57	16	73
1862 ...	.....	.....	14	1880 ...	89	23	112
1863 ...	18	4	22	1881 ...	113	13	126
1864 ...	15	2	17	1882 ...	129	21	150
1865 ...	15	5	20	1883 ...	149	24	173
1866 ...	20	5	25	1884 ...	183	29	212
1867 ...	20	4	24	1885 ...	161	27	188
1868 ...	21	2	23	1886 ...	203	31	234
1869 ...	27	5	32	1887 (to 31 July, 1887)	137	21	158
1870 ...	32	4	36				
1871 ...	27	5	32	Total ...	*1,726	*353	†2,142
1872 ...	43	5	48				

* From 1863 only. † Total since 1855.

No. 237.—Number of Certificates of Provisional Protection and Letters Patent applied for, and of Assignments registered, from 1st August to 31st December, 1887.

Certificates	148
Letters Patent	260
Assignments	23

No. 238.—Number of Applications for Patents in New South Wales for 1886 and 1887, and the Countries from which the same were received.

Country.	1886.	1887.	Country.	1886.	1887.
Great Britain	72	91	Brazil	1	.....
Germany	5	9	Cape of Good Hope	.....	1
France	4	8	New South Wales	49	247
Austria	1	.....	New Zealand	8	23
Sweden	.....	4	Queensland	3	12
Denmark	.....	1	South Australia	3	16
Belgium	2	3	Victoria	36	96
Switzerland	.....	2			
United States	19	31			
Canada	.....	1	Total	203	545

No. 239.—Number of Fire Brigades in operation during 1887, and Number of Men attached to each Brigade, and Fires attended.

Name of Station or Brigade.	Average number of men.	Number of fires attended.	Name of Station or Brigade.	Average number of men.	Number of fires attended.
Metropolitan, 3 Stations	31	207	SUBURBAN—*continued.*		
			Mount Lachlan	18	7
VOLUNTEER COMPANIES,			Newtown	32	21
CITY—			Paddington	19	6
No. 4, South Sydney	23	24	Parramatta, No. 1	19	1
No. 5, East Sydney	18	20	„ No. 2	18	1
Theatre Royal	27	15	Redfern	14	1
Standard Brewery	19	59	St. Leonards	17	3
North City	20	.....	Woollahra	22	4
Paddington Brewery	38	34			
			COUNTRY—		
SUBURBAN—			Albury	25	4
Alexandria	20	19	Bathurst	25	4
Balmain	20	5	Deniliquin	20	5
Burwood	18	4	Forbes	31	15
Darlington	18	17	Grafton (3 brigades)	39	7
Glebe	22	18	Glen Innes	18	.....
Leichhardt	13	5	Goulburn	26	7
Manly	22	1	West Maitland	26	3

No. 240.—Declared Amount of Risks held by Fire Insurance Companies in the City and Suburbs of Sydney, 1885–1887.

Name of Company.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£
Alliance British and Foreign Insurance Company	582,848	598,399	726,070
Australian Alliance Insurance Company	524,738	494,155	478,507
Australian Mercantile Union Insurance Company	352,896	564,877	.....
Australian Mutual Insurance Society	5,307,552	7,054,923	6,346,611
City Mutual Insurance Company	1,688,520	1,912,835	1,770,923
City of London Insurance Company	164,300	186,109	192,392
Colonial Insurance Company of New Zealand	254,760	223,193	82,006
Colonial Mutual Insurance Company	862,544	1,166,600	1,334,485
Commercial Union Assurance Company	5,089,716	5,880,175	6,001,000
Cornwall Insurance Company	48,335	100,000	143,269
Equitable Fire and Marine Association of New Zealand	109,496	232,383	749,215
Fire Insurance Association	297,918	.....	.....
Glasgow and London	.....	.....	106,644
General Assurance Company of London	.....	.....	134,693
Guardian Insurance Company	237,712	239,598	269,012
Hamburgh Magdeburg Insurance Company	131,580	140,720	281,130
Hanseatic Insurance Company	137,200	128,780	.....
Imperial Insurance Company	1,320,000	1,117,000	1,101,000
Industrial Mutual Insurance Company	1,098,011	1,112,685	1,133,873
Lancashire Insurance Company	323,800	.....	.....
Lion Insurance Company	318,627	391,475	372,363
Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company	3,200,000	3,026,837	2,980,010
London and Lancashire	659,361	461,762	445,331
London and Provincial Insurance Company	372,482	281,205	.....
Manchester Insurance Company (R. Nott, Agent)	229,342	200,373	140,955
Manchester Insurance Company (McArthur & Co., Agents)	32,150	266,296	251,824
Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company	2,746,754	3,565,595	4,305,642
National Insurance Company, New Zealand	695,278	1,010,786	1,277,033
New South Wales Assurance Corporation	.....	.....	520,677
New Zealand Insurance Company	1,550,027	1,719,198	1,616,044
North British and Mercantile Insurance Company	860,763	815,410	820,360
Northern Assurance Company	700,000	600,000	628,000
Norwich Union Insurance Company	2,700,038	2,040,844	2,012,365
Pacific Insurance Company	511,000	594,000	745,900
Phœnix Insurance Company	596,804	1,055,369	1,456,837
Prussian National Insurance Company	137,200	128,780	.....
Queen Insurance Company	821,921	1,045,933	1,086,944
Royal Insurance	560,000	552,795	505,708
Scottish Union and National Insurance Company	225,566	301,108	506,000
South Australian	.....	.....	74,670
South British Insurance Company	447,994	657,950	868,997
Standard Insurance, New Zealand	1,115,000	1,285,894	1,248,960
Sun Insurance Company	420,832	421,292	406,036
Sydney Mutual Insurance Company	.....	57,825	758,547
Union Insurance Company	605,735	536,600	805,760
United Insurance Company	1,834,248	2,156,417	2,586,502
United Australian Mutual Insurance Company	318,498	377,194	262,580
Victoria Insurance Company	1,440,000	1,550,000	1,675,000
Totals	41,631,582	46,253,370	49,209,395

No. 241.—Permanent Military Forces: Distribution of the Regular Military Forces of the Colony, on the 31st December, 1887.

Corps or Company.	Major-General Commanding.	Colonel Commanding Artillery Forces.	Assistant Adjutant-General.	Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General.	Chief Paymaster	Medical Officer.	Brevet Colonels.	Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Accountant.	Chief Clerk.	Quartermaster.	Warrant Officers.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Total.
General Staff	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	2	2	...	1	1	1	2	11	...	...	26
New South Wales Artillery ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	3	5	...	...	...	6	26	9	317	371
Total	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	5	5	1	1	1	8	37	9	317	397

No. 242.—Volunteer Force: Distribution of the Volunteer Forces, on the 31st December, 1887.

Distribution.	Brevet Colonels.	Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels.	Majors and Brevet-Majors.	Captains.	Medical Officers.	Chaplains.	1st Lieutenants.	2nd Lieutenants.	Staff Instructor.	Quartermasters.	Permanent Staff.					Bugle and Trumpet Majors.	Colour-Sergeant Major.	Sergeant-Majors.	Colour-Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	Gunners.	Trumpeters & Buglers.	Sappers.	Totals.
											Adjutants, Pay and Quartermasters.	Regimental Sergeant-Majors.	Quartermaster-Sergeants.	Colour-Sergeants and Sergeants.	Orderly-Room Clerks.											
Permanent Staff... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	45	2	8	...	...	...	57
Medical and Honorary Staff. ...	...	...	...	...	5	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Artillery	1	...	2	8	...	...	7	5	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	...	8	...	23	30	...	390	14	...	493
Engineers ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	8	...	...	2	80	101
Torpedo and Signalling Corps ...	...	1	1	1	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	9	16	102	...	4	...	146
Infantry	1	4	8	31	...	...	29	25	...	4	4	4	4	...	4	4	...	...	30	95	122	1,504	...	61	...	1,934
Total ...	2	6	12	40	5	4	42	34	1	4	5	6	6	1	5	5	1	10	32	176	178	1,614	390	81	80	2,740

No. 243.—Reserves: Distribution of Reserve Forces, on the 31st December, 1887.

Distribution.	Honorary Colonel.	Lieutenant-Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	1st Lieutenants.	2nd Lieutenants.	Medical Officers.	Permanent Staff.			Sergeants.	Corporals.	Trumpeters and Buglers.	Privates, &c.	Total.
								Adjutants, Pay and Quarter-masters.	Sergeant-Majors.	Battery Sergeant-Majors, and Colour-Sergeants.					
Infantry	...	2	1	27	27	22	...	3	3	27	73	76	66	1,495	1,822
Cavalry	1	...	1	9	8	7	...	...	1	1	20	11	2	350	411
Artillery	...	...	...	4	2	3	...	...	...	2	6	4	4	87	112
Medical Staff	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Total	1	2	2	40	37	32	7	3	4	30	99	91	72	1,932	2,352

No. 244.—Naval Brigade: Distribution of the Naval Brigade, on the 31st December, 1887.

Corps or Company.	Captain Commanding Brigade, Sydney.	Commanders.	Lieutenants Commanding Companies.	Sub-Lieutenants.	Medical Officers.	Clerk and Account-ant.	Warrant and Petty Officers.	Midship-men and Cadets.	A.B's.	Gunnery In-structors.	Total.
Sydney	1	2	5	5	3	1	20	16	230	2	285
Newcastle	.....	1	1	1	1	...	4	2	46	1	57
Total	1	3	6	6	4	1	24	18	276	3	342

No. 245.—Distribution of the Naval Artillery Volunteers, on the 31st December, 1887.

Corps or Company.	Commander.	Lieutenant on Staff.	Lieutenants Commanding Companies.	Sub-Lieutenants.	Medical Officer.	Petty Officers.	Pay-master.	Assistant Pay-master.	A.B's.	Warrant Officer and Gunnery Instructor.	Total.
Naval Artillery Volunteers, Sydney ...	1	1	2	4	1	29	1	1	180	1	221

No. 246.—General Total of the Military Forces of the Colony, on the 31st December, 1887.

Distribution.	Number of Officers and Men.
Permanent Military Force	397
Volunteer Force	2,740
Reserves	2,352
Naval Brigade	342
Naval Artillery Volunteers	221
Total	6,052

No. 247.—Electors and Voters for Aldermen.

	Electors on Roll.	Voters at last Annual Election.
City of Sydney	8,172	6,429
Boroughs	58,732	13,800
Municipal Districts	37,010	7,432
General Total	103,914	27,661

* In 27 cases there were no contests.

No. 248.—Annual and Capital Value of Ratable Property in the Municipalities of the Colony, 1883–87.

Municipalities.	1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.	
	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
City of Sydney	1,838,642	36,772,840	1,979,772	39,595,440	2,035,235	40,704,700	2,096,476	41,929,520	2,131,026	42,529,525
Suburbs of Sydney	1,449,947	20,676,070	1,690,109	23,046,854	1,935,884	29,410,787	2,289,685	32,960,620	2,501,904	36,644,629
Country Municipalities ...	1,266,502	14,425,195	1,524,218	17,661,067	1,713,578	21,828,805	1,727,951	21,657,828	1,895,591	26,699,331
	4,555,091	71,874,105	5,194,099	80,303,361	5,684,697	91,944,292	6,114,112	96,547,968	6,528,521	105,873,485

NOTE.—The annual value is that at which the property in the various districts was assessed for Municipal purposes.

No. 249.—Capital and Annual Values of Property in Municipalities and Revenue, 1887.

	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Revenue.
	£	£	£ s. d.
City of Sydney	42,529,525	2,131,026	336,066 6 1
Boroughs	30,071,453	2,030,600	186,846 4 1
Municipal Districts	6,573,176	471,304	47,812 9 3
Total Metropolitan	79,174,154	4,632,930	570,724 19 5
Country Boroughs	15,550,992	1,091,029	120,170 19 6
„ Municipal Districts	11,148,339	804,562	84,652 17 7
Total Country	26,699,331	1,895,591	204,823 17 1
General Total	105 873,485	6,528,521	775,548 16 6

No. 250.—Municipalities: Capital and Annual Value of Ratable Property in each Borough, Revenue, and Outstanding Loans, 1887.

Boroughs.	Ratable Property.		Revenue.	Outstanding Loans.
	Capital Value.	Annual Value.		
METROPOLITAN.	£	£	£	£
Alexandria	805,000	62,000	5,313	13,500
Ashfield	2,400,000	124,806	11,753	.....
Balmain	3,194,224	185,423	21,932	55,400
Burwood	650,000	79,477	7,044	23,200
Camperdown	479,581	40,919	5,933	17,000
Darlington	290,140	29,014	2,669	5,000
The Glebe	2,045,400	163,632	13,517	20,000
Marrickville	1,050,680	105,068	10,080	15,000
Newtown	1,729,400	148,700	13,871	30,000
Paddington	3,200,000	172,108	11,971	20,000
Petersham	1,238,920	98,370	8,406	14,500
Randwick	1,031,712	82,537	6,602	25,000
Redfern	1,672,460	168,627	18,668	60,000
St. Leonards	2,383,327	101,137	7,632	.....
St. Leonards, East	1,000,000	73,732	6,919	17,000
Victoria	858,190	42,809	4,654	9,000
Waterloo	785,202	65,441	4,737	15,000
Waverley	1,801,430	103,658	9,787	20,000
Willoughby, North	1,108,420	54,050	2,811	5,000
Woollahra	2,347,367	129,092	12,547	.....
	30,071,453	2,030,600	186,846	364,600
COUNTRY.				
Albury	420,000	41,060	5,067	.....
Armidale	250,000	25,000	2,091	4,000
Bathurst	1,255,380	62,769	7,649	61,000
Central Illawarra	230,000	23,000	1,440	.....
Cootamundra	188,580	16,758	1,792	.....
Cudgegong	446,985	22,552	1,229	2,000
Gosford	71,566	5,942	616	.....
Goulburn	937,354	79,065	7,702	.....

No. 250—*continued.*

Boroughs.	Ratable Property.		Revenue.	Outstanding Loans.
	Capital Value.	Annual Value.		
COUNTRY—*continued.*	£	£	£	£
Grafton	600,000	34,140	3,099	4,000
Granville	880,000	42,008	3,662	10,000
Hill End	28,239	2,823	174	.....
Hunter's Hill	590,194	28,067	2,311	4,200
Junee	44,032	12,394	657	.....
Kempsey	387,200	19,360	2,804	.....
Kiama	450,000	25,000	1,574	.....
Maitland, East	225,000	20,264	2,387	6,000
Maitland, West...	648,320	59,831	5 151	4,000
Morpeth...	115,857	8,522	1,139	.....
Mudgee	345,000	21,910	1,476	4,200
Narrabri...	156,048	11,703	1,088	.....
Narrandera	136,000	12,432	1,324	.....
Newcastle	1,428,310	157,005	27,447	40,000
Orange	461,940	32,536	4,125	6,400
Parramatta	1,020,575	81,646	11,205	38,100
Plattsburg	270,500	27,050	3,287	.....
Queanbeyan	113,887	8,184	967	.....
Richmond	147,728	7,386	783	.....
Shellharbour	172,450	13,796	1,008	.....
Singleton	152,840	15,284	1,259	.....
Tamworth	344,251	30,522	3,861	.....
Wagga Wagga	840,920	42,046	3,681	3,200
Wallsend	324,500	32,450	2,961	2,000
Windsor	900,000	12,910	1,032	.....
Wollongong	670,000	34,000	2,181	5,000
Young	297,336	21,614	1,942	.....
Total Country	15,550 992	1,091,029	120,171	194,100
Total Metropolitan... ...	30,071,453	2,030,600	186,845	364,600
Grand Total	45,621,445	3,121,629	307,017	558,700

No. 251.—Capital and Annual Value of Ratable Property in each Municipal District, Revenue, and Outstanding Loans, 1887.

Municipality.	Ratable Property.		Revenue.	Outstanding Loans.
	Capital Value.	Annual Value.		
METROPOLITAN—	£	£	£	£
Botany, West	754,810	47,137	4,065	7,000
Canterbury	458,275	36,495	4,398	.....
Concord	419,375	27,484	2,265	3,000
Five Dock	600,000	26,955	1,330	6,000
Hurstville	881,390	43,753	1,177	.....
Kogarah	325,110	32,420	5,181	.....
Leichhardt	980,000	117,145	9,996	31,000
Manly	807,092	47,959	9,897	14,000
Macdonaldtown	483,279	34,036	3,785	5,700
Strathfield	435,730	28,015	3,229	5,000
St. Peters	428,115	29,905	2,489	10,000
Total Metropolitan... ...	6,573,176	471,304	47,812	81,700
COUNTRY—				
Adamstown	250,000	9,000	1,129	2,000
Ballina	105,032	5,456	1,315	800
Balranald	351,000	35,000	999	.....
Bega...	326,948	20,306	2,654	8,000
Blayney	104,286	9,529	1,822	1,000
Bourke	401,142	32,235	2,314	2,000
Bowral	250,671	13,897	2,248	3,000
Broughton Creek and Bomaderry...	325,840	8,146	467	.....
Broughton Vale	140,000	2,937	185	.....
Campbelltown	200,000	14,754	1,841	400
Carcoar	112,000	5,690	632	.....
Carrington	198,052	13,614	1,153	.....
Casino	122,616	9,810	1,654	.....
Central Shoalhaven...	110,000	4,462	402	.....
Cobar	101,825	8,478	568	.....
Cooma	162,917	13,487	849	.....
Coonamble	133,906	9,970	856	.....
Deniliquin	193,582	22,774	5,480	2,642
Dubbo	273,000	25,135	2,932	6,000
Forbes	243,687	20,970	2,213	5,000
Gerringong	190,000	9,000	1,163	.....
Glen Innes	240,500	24,050	3,454	3,000
Grenfell	139,290	6,964	916	.....

No. 251—*continued.*

Municipality.	Ratable Property.		Revenue.	Outstanding Loans.
	Capital Value.	Annual Value.		
COUNTRY—*continued.*	£	£	£	£
Gulgong	83,000	8,100	591	.....
Gunnedah	85,700	7,690	678	.....
Hamilton	450,039	36,303	2,555	3,500
Hay	317,777	26,850	3,734	2,000
Inverell	150,000	15,000	1,363	.....
Lambton	187,271	13,309	776	3,000
Lismore	278,178	19,008	3,908	10,000
Liverpool	241,500	24,150	1,955	4,000
Merewether	410,000	26,660	3,212	4,000
Molong	130,000	8,178	967	500
Muswellbrook	90,054	7,504	863	506
North Illawarra	200,000	9,000	761	.....
Nowra	80,000	8,000	1,330	.....
Numba	46,000	5,072	366	.....
Parkes	80,279	8,028	1,144	.....
Penrith	530,000	24,000	1,249	.....
Port Macquarie*	.....	.....	.....	.....
Prospect and Sherwood	274,287	21,943	1,711	5,000
Raymond Terrace	56,910	6,308	653	1,000
Ryde	557,885	25,588	1,648	1,000
Silverton	160,000	15,042	1,022	.....
South Singleton	104,968	4,808	586	1,000
Taree	80,000	3,946	464	.....
Tenterfield	220,125	13,451	1,473	.....
Tumut	86,210	8,621	183	.....
Ulladulla	120,000	12,000	1,489	.....
Ulmarra	198,000	9,900	971	.....
Uralla	64,620	4,992	506	.....
Waratah	240,000	24,000	1,137	5,000
Wellington	89,490	8,949	762	.....
Wentworth	110,524	9,300	868	.....
Wickham	370,251	31,420	3,137	11,000
Wilcannia	214,850	19,778	4,244	7,400
Yass	164,127	16,000	1,099	.....
Total, Country	11,148,339	804,562	84,653	92,748
Total, Metropolitan ...	6,573,176	471,304	47,812	81,700
Grand Total ... £	17,721,515	1,275,866	132,465	174,448

* No Returns received.

No. 252.—Lands Sold otherwise than Conditionally—1876–87.

Year.	Extent of Land Sold.				Total Price.
	Town Lots.	Suburban Lots.	Country Lots.	Total.	
	a. r p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	£ s. d.
1876 ...	691 0 0½	4,358 2 10½	1,868,009 3 11¾	1,873,059 1 22¼	1,971,292 8 3
1877 ...	548 3 1¼	1,522 2 21¼	2,148,687 2 36½	2,150,759 0 19	2,196,922 4 8
1878 ...	710 0 9½	1,586 2 23¾	1,208,395 3 12½	1,210,692 2 5¾	1,441,004 3 1
1879 ...	455 1 19¼	2,049 0 22¾	474,689 3 13	477,194 1 15	590,368 3 7
1880 ...	516 3 38½	1,920 2 24¼	623,674 3 15¾	626,112 1 38¼	722,732 17 2
1881 ...	623 0 16½	2,769 2 31	1,325,513 3 31¾	1,328,906 2 39¼	1,484,897 10 6
1882 ...	449 1 10¼	1,645 2 25½	1,027,903 2 39¼	1,029,998 2 35	1,252,596 15 1
1883 ...	720 0 21¾	3,950 1 35¼	163,784 3 35¼	168,455 2 12¼	256,982 2 9
1884 ...	658 2 11½	2,861 3 22½	290,659 1 25	294,179 3 19	433,338 4 10
1885 ...	136 1 24½	1,060 2 21¼	293,828 0 14	295,025 0 20	446,311 12 6
1886 ...	468 3 8½	2,027 3 12¼	285,541 2 29¾	288,038 1 10½	439,321 11 1
1887 ...	742 3 28¾	3,044 3 32½	229,118 2 28	232,906 2 9¼	407,228 18 7¼

No. 253.—Number of Acres sold Conditionally and Amount Received for Deposit, for Balance of Purchase Money, for Interest, and the Gross Amount Realised, in each year.

Year.	Conditionally Selected.		For Deposit.	For Balance of Purchase.				Gross Amount realised.
	No. of Selections.	Area.		Balance.	Instalments.	Total.	For Interest.	
		a. r. p.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1862 to 1875...	87,941	8,333,657 0 12	2,083,414 9 9	301,979 16 10	.....	301,979 16 10	383,928 14 2	2,779,293 0 9
1876... ...	12,654	1,984,212 0 0	496,053 8 2	68,834 1 5	.....	68,834 1 5	99,328 14 8	664,216 4 3
1877... ...	12,009	1,699,816 0 0	424,954 0 0	71,852 15 6	.....	71,852 15 6	126,657 8 9	623,464 4 3
1878... ...	12,602	1,588,247 3 18	398,728 11 1	47,060 8 8	23,774 16 9	70,835 5 5	160,581 1 1	630,144 17 7
1879... ...	7,540	924,136 1 0	232,285 2 9	37,030 9 7	87,131 5 6	124,161 15 1	171,147 17 11	527,594 15 9
1880... ...	8,583	1,147,001 2 39	293,112 17 7	41,849 5 11	113,603 1 1	155,452 7 0	204,634 2 7	653,199 7 2
1881... ...	14,220	2,329,202 0 15	592,965 16 1	92,009 1 9	129,546 17 1	221,555 18 10	253,356 14 0	1,067,878 8 11
1882... ...	14,607	2,392,219 3 0	621,617 1 11	109,666 12 5	129,921 0 7	239,587 13 0	287,526 13 9	1,148,731 8 8
1883... ...	10,725	1,621,947 3 12	424,968 0 10	58,313 10 4	137,277 8 9	195,590 19 1	310,676 6 7	931,235 6 6
1884... ...	10,657	1,453,937 0 33	381,550 4 0	61,466 3 5	183,080 19 3	244,547 2 8	326,183 18 9	952,281 5 5
1885... ...	5,372	1,114,871 3 2	121,436 13 11	68,138 9 2	440,286 8 2	508,424 17 4	151,657 19 7	781,519 10 10
1886... ...	6,061	954,560 0 27	112,892 9 9	74,503 15 10	514,162 0 0	588,665 15 10	129,978 4 5	831,536 10 0
1887... ...	4,478	723,150 3 32	92,202 15 6	96,562 8 3	562,018 16 0	658,581 4 3	123,090 14 5	873,874 14 2
Total ...	207,449	26,266,960 2 30	6,276,181 11 4	1,129,266 19 1	2,320,802 13 2	3,450,069 12 3	2,728,748 10 8	12,464,969 14 3

NOTE.—The actual area at end of 1887 for which deeds were issued was 1,419,559 acres; area in process of alienation, 16,624,323 acres; total, 18,043,882 acres. The remaining area was either voided, lapsed, or forfeited

No. 254.—Number of Conditional Purchase Applications received in each district, Area applied for, and Amount of Deposit paid, 1887.

District.	No. of Applications.	Area applied for.	Deposit Paid.
		a. r. p.	£ s. d.
Albury	50	8,040 3 0	836 1 6
Armidale	120	15,952 1 0	1,599 4 6
Balranald	Nil.	.....	.....
Bathurst	40	3,473 0 0	347 6 0
Bega	53	3,867 0 0	386 14 0
Berrima	53	4,540 1 30	481 4 11
Bingera	25	3,866 3 0	396 13 6
Bombala	19	1,354 0 0	194 8 0
Bourke	3	360 0 0	104 0 0
Braidwood	49	4,973 3 12	553 6 0
Brewarrina	4	2,139 0 0	213 18 0
Burrowa	224	20,548 1 0	2,070 10 0
Campbelltown	2	150 0 0	15 0 0
Carcoar	50	4,857 3 0	502 15 6
Casino	47	9,790 0 0	1,076 11 6
Cassilis	127	17,213 0 12	1,767 6 3
Cobar	3	640 0 0	64 0 0
Condobolin	38	17,288 2 0	1,728 17 0
Cooma	41	5,046 0 0	509 12 0
Coonabarabran	49	9,880 0 0	1,020 0 0
Coonamble	123	50,718 3 0	5,071 17 6
Cootamundra	74	11,656 3 0	1,229 13 6
Corowa	34	9,060 1 34	1,130 0 0
Cowra	42	4,495 0 0	460 11 0
Deniliquin	23	6,125 1 0	643 0 6
Dubbo	253	105,755 3 0	10,675 1 6
Dungog	54	5,290 3 0	562 1 6
Eden	64	5,806 1 0	584 12 6
Forbes	46	11,534 2 0	1,328 11 0
Glen Innes	49	8,501 0 30	926 5 6
Gosford	28	2,013 3 0	226 17 6
Goulburn	144	9,270 1 0	941 0 6
Grafton	160	16,164 0 0	1,759 7 9
Grenfell	57	11,891 1 0	1,189 2 6
Gundagai	21	2,909 3 0	320 14 6
Gunnedah	34	8,761 0 0	908 2 0
Gunning	110	9,867 0 0	986 14 0
Hay	55	22,822 0 0	2,319 8 0
Hillston	9	3,114 0 0	311 8 0
Inverell	40	5,420 1 0	624 4 6
Kempsey	190	21,065 1 10	2,168 6 8
Kiama	Nil.	.....	.....
Lismore	37	3,201 0 0	340 2 0
Lithgow	71	6,082 2 12	748 5 2
Liverpool	3	176 2 0	25 13 0

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District.	No. of Applications.	Area applied for.			Deposit Paid.		
		a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.
Maitland	12	639	0	0	79	14	0
Metropolitan	Nil.	.....			.....		
Milton	45	3,456	2	0	345	13	0
Molong	70	7,498	1	0	749	16	6
Moree	45	13,012	1	0	1,343	14	6
Moruya	39	2,347	3	38	238	15	11
Mudgee	76	5,529	1	0	556	18	6
Murrurundi	28	5,487	1	0	692	14	6
Murwillumbah	46	4,847	3	0	507	5	6
Muswellbrook	37	1,941	2	0	194	3	0
Narrabri	49	22,044	3	0	2,236	9	6
Narrandera	41	15,649	0	0	1,584	8	0
Newcastle	3	314	0	0	31	8	0
Nowra	45	6,153	0	0	841	11	6
Orange	20	1,126	0	0	116	12	0
Parkes	114	53,530	0	0	5,403	0	0
Parramatta	26	1,493	0	0	217	12	0
Paterson	30	2,266	0	0	226	12	0
Penrith	6	890	3	0	93	1	6
Picton	36	5,950	0	0	681	0	0
Port Macquarie	77	8,744	1	0	1,038	18	6
Queanbeyan	87	9,266	3	0	932	13	6
Raymond Terrace	33	2,464	0	0	258	12	0
Rylstone	31	3,015	1	0	325	10	6
Scone	102	13,144	1	0	1,323	8	6
Singleton	61	5,693	3	0	574	2	6
Stroud	47	3,990	0	0	423	4	0
Tamworth	99	14,390	0	0	1,446	0	0
Taree	151	12,045	0	0	1,230	18	0
Tenterfield	20	2,411	0	0	270	2	0
Tumut	27	2,627	1	20	262	14	9
Urana	21	3,981	1	0	530	9	0
Wagga Wagga	142	31,512	0	30	3,383	19	5
Walcha	53	9,284	1	0	981	19	6
Walgett	8	5,005	2	0	500	11	0
Warialda	29	11,176	0	0	1,117	12	0
Wellington	132	13,541	2	0	1,354	3	0
Wentworth	Nil.	.....			.....		
Wilcannia	Nil.	.....			.....		
Windsor	60	3,408	0	0	467	6	0
Wollombi	53	2,642	2	0	272	5	0
Wollongong	Nil.	.....			.....		
Yass	21	1,519	3	0	155	19	6
Young	29	3,241	2	3	324	3	1
Total	4,769	793,004	0	31	82,663	10	11

No. 255.—Land held under Annual Lease, 1887.

District.	No. of Lease.	Area.			Rent.		
		a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.
Albury	26	15,064	0	0	203	9	8
Armidale	13	5,985	0	0	41	1	6
Bathurst	533	365,260	0	0	1,767	10	0
Bega	1	317	0	0	2	0	0
Berrima	46	35,919	0	0	134	10	0
Bombala	9	6,600	0	0	26	7	0
Braidwood	141	100,313	0	0	489	0	8
Burrowa	242	149,678	0	0	893	17	6
Carcoar	571	399,008	2	0	1,817	2	6
Casino	12	7,025	0	0	232	7	11
Cassilis	605	401,952	3	0	1,757	0	5
Condobolin	9	5,758	0	0	106	11	0
Cooma	22	25,627	0	0	237	3	10
Coonabarabran	10	6,355	0	0	26	0	0
Cootamundra	1	1,150	0	0	4	0	0
Cowra	29	34,459	0	0	160	7	0
Deniliquin	8	5,458	3	0	47	4	0
Dungog	3	2,390	0	0	8	10	0
Forbes	3	3,940	0	0	19	19	0
Glen Innes	18	10,503	0	0	52	10	0
Gosford	2	1,920	0	0	6	0	0
Goulburn	262	158,661	0	0	842	0	5
Grafton	42	29,363	0	0	194	17	0
Gunnedah	1	750	0	0	4	0	0
Gunning	163	100,875	3	0	506	17	7
Hay	3	4,140	0	0	16	0	0
Hillston	1	90	0	0	5	0	0
Inverell	5	1,653	0	0	11	12	5
Kempsey	14	8,440	0	0	45	0	0
Lithgow	251	171,236	3	0	723	3	0
Maitland	2	1,860	0	0	8	0	0
Milton	7	5,760	0	0	22	5	0
Molong	13	8,710	0	0	66	9	6

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District.	No. of Lease.	Area.	Rent.
		a. r. p.	£ s. d.
Moruya	13	7,216 0 0	45 0 0
Mudgee	311	194,804 3 0	935 3 8
Murrurundi	59	36,966 0 0	169 18 4
Murwillumbah	2	1,280 0 0	5 0 0
Muswellbrook	15	8,871 0 0	50 15 0
Nowra	38	22,326 0 0	151 1 6
Orange	131	91,251 0 0	427 15 6
Paterson	58	37,602 0 0	169 0 0
Penrith	3	2,080 0 0	8 0 0
Picton	149	106,027 0 0	405 0 0
Port Macquarie	25	18,593 0 0	67 6 8
Queanbeyan	152	106,225 0 0	502 6 1
Raymond Terrace	3	1,920 0 0	6 10 0
Rylstone	224	154,576 0 0	667 0 2
Scone	302	239,807 0 0	1,201 5 3
Singleton	35	26,375 0 0	133 12 9
Stroud	142	111,927 0 0	511 4 8
Tamworth	2	1,335 0 0	6 0 0
Taree	29	20,511 0 0	137 5 0
Tumut	3	1,660 0 0	46 0 0
Urana	1	596 0 0	12 15 6
Wellington	521	389,561 0 0	1,650 4 3
Wilcannia	4	1,829 0 0	57 10 0
Windsor	7	3,977 0 0	14 10 0
Wollombi	1	692 0 0	5 0 0
Yass...	81	54,863 0 0	241 0 0
Young	4	1,854 0 0	11 10 0
Total	5,383	3,720,947 1 0	18,115 11 3

Note :—For particulars of Pastoral Leases, Occupation Licences, Homestead and Conditional Leases, see Table No. 260, page 239.

No. 256.—Land held under Conditional Lease, 1887.

District.	No. of Lease.	Area.			Rent.		
		a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.
Albury	170	106,625	2	0	1,074	10	0
Armidale	445	243,695	3	0	2,750	4	5
Balranald	14	17,454	3	0	153	15	0
Bathurst	93	27,241	0	0	333	15	1
Bega	15	3,605	1	0	47	0	1
Berrima	17	5,200	1	0	60	12	11
Bingera	41	27,272	0	0	238	3	5
Bombala	80	41,225	2	0	385	11	6
Bourke	56	54,581	2	0	493	2	6
Braidwood	51	14,159	1	0	143	14	4
Brewarrina	48	65,588	2	0	579	0	7
Burrowa	156	63,386	2	0	698	5	8
Campbelltown	3	1,856	1	0	23	4	1
Carcoar	65	26,146	1	0	303	16	3
Casino	64	41,819	1	36	703	6	8
Cassilis	71	25,844	3	0	369	5	8
Cobar	10	10,270	0	0	91	1	8
Condobolin	77	93,077	0	0	1,102	0	3
Cooma	480	207,760	0	0	2,135	10	10
Coonabarabran	78	48,715	1	0	485	6	9
Coonamble	252	273,291	2	0	3,459	18	8
Cootamundra	60	40,712	2	0	389	19	11
Corowa	51	16,080	2	0	368	1	8
Cowra	72	30,419	0	0	432	2	5
Deniliquin	28	9,122	3	0	177	10	7
Dubbo	386	479,411	1	0	6,107	12	2
Dungog	3	360	1	0	4	2	5
Eden	35	9,652	2	0	138	12	9
Forbes	142	122,159	2	33	1,301	11	7
Glen Innes	75	29,006	0	0	427	12	1
Gosford	3	297	3	0	4	19	3
Goulburn	260	62,880	1	0	707	11	10
Grafton	104	29,051	1	13	467	11	0
Grenfell	227	183,277	2	0	2,090	15	5
Gundagai	95	48,303	1	0	490	14	10
Gunnedah	116	99,725	0	0	991	1	10
Gunning	80	19,705	2	0	228	9	7
Hay	195	258,053	2	0	2,808	12	9
Hillston	68	82,427	1	0	748	12	11
Inverell	197	110,007	1	0	1,052	12	8
Kempsey	18	5,128	2	0	61	4	2
Lismore	28	8,122	3	0	104	9	1

No. 256—*continued.*

District	No. of Lease.	Area.			Rent.		
		a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.
Lithgow	70	17,820	1	0	216	18	2
Milton	25	1,958	0	0	25	14	3
Molong	123	76,296	1	0	876	12	4
Moree	138	201,777	1	0	2,167	13	4
Moruya	32	7,637	2	0	98	10	1
Mudgee	39	11,024	1	0	130	7	8
Murrurundi	61	35,800	0	0	333	8	8
Murwillumbah	2	420	0	0	6	15	0
Muswellbrook	5	878	1	0	9	10	10
Narrabri	198	252,251	1	0	2,959	9	3
Narrandera...	34	39.555	1	0	401	6	9
Newcastle	1	229	3	0	2	7	11
Nowra	11	1,685	3	0	34	1	0
Orange	17	6,560	0	0	82	17	2
Parkes	133	164.907	3	0	1,634	17	6
Parramatta...	1	40	0	0	0	10	0
Paterson	4	722	2	0	8	1	6
Penrith	1	180	0	0	2	5	0
Picton	12	4,077	0	0	48	17	4
Port Macquarie	5	864	0	0	7	17	0
Queanbeyan	106	50.567	2	0	485	16	1
Raymond Terrace...	4	781	0	0	10	15	3
Rylstone	11	3,828	0	0	47	3	5
Scone	51	18,514	2	0	240	13	9
Singleton	9	4,576	2	0	57	8	11
Stroud	9	4 494	3	0	49	6	11
Tamworth	229	128,119	0	0	1,301	3	1
Taree	11	3,305	1	0	35	3	0
Tenterfield	98	57,298	0	0	664	7	4
Tumut	129	62,563	1	0	729	11	9
Urana	30	23,930	1	0	271	13	2
Wagga Wagga	169	158,929	2	0	1,636	11	11
Walcha	98	52,265	3	0	652	1	10
Walgett	42	69,116	0	0	575	19	4
Warialda	82	82,573	2	0	732	13	11
Wellington...	116	41,497	0	0	575	4	11
Wentworth...	54	68,443	0	0	589	8	11
Wilcannia	36	35,915	2	17	297	2	4
Yass...	66	22,684	0	0	267	3	1
Young	81	45,992	2	0	489	8	9
Total	6,872	4,802,801	0	19	53,492	5	8

No. 257.—Pastoral and Homestead Leases and Occupation Licenses existing during 1885, 1886, and 1887.

Year.	Pastoral Leases.			Occupation Licenses.			Homestead Leases.		
	No.	Area.	Amount.	No.	Area.	Amount.	No.	Area.	Amount.
		Square miles.	£ s. d.		Square miles.	£ s. d.		Square miles.	£ s. d.
1885	1,589	105,207	134,123 0 0	1,543	99,736	94,608 5 10	.....	.....	.....
1886	1,589	106,287	136,481 7 8	1,450	100,821	102,140 0 9	233	3,556	15,172 7 4
1887	1,598	104,578	446,577 8 11	1,472	94,042	269,920 13 2	302	4,582	20,893 2 6

NOTE.—In 1887 there were also thirteen pastoral leases not converted under Act of 1884, containing 307 square miles. Rent and assessment received, £350 16s. See also returns No. 38 and 39.

No. 258.—Area of Land Alienated and Unalienated at the close of the year 1887.

Sold in fee simple, from the first settlement of the Colony—including only that the purchase of which has been completed ...	22,016,501 acres.
Granted without purchase	3,110,150 „
In process of Alienation under deferred payments	16,624,323 „
Total	42,099,373 „
Total Area of the Colony	195,882,150 „
Total Area Unalienated	153,782,777 „
Leased to Pastoral Tenants	138,769,508 „

No. 259.—Amount of Revenue derived from Land Sales 1887.

Description.	No. of Lots.	Area sold.	Average price per Acre.	Total Amount of Sales.	Amount received.
		a. r. p.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sold at Auction—					
Town	1,848	729 1 6¾	70 6 8	51,293 15 3	
Suburban... ...	665	2,896 0 14	8 13 0½	25,059 6 3	139,602 12 11
Country	1,124	103,748 1 15	1 10 7	158,746 10 9	
Improved lots sold to owners of improvements	844	124,994 0 20½	1 5 7¾	160,342 0 11	160,342 0 11
Reclaimed lands sold at appraised price...	53	26 3 33½	225 0 7½	6,066 14 2	6,066 14 2
Proceeds of sales of unnecessary roads...	40	252 1 13½	4 19 0	1,249 4 5	1,249 4 5
Sales without competition in special cases	16	109 0 31¼	6 16 2¼	743 12 7	743 12 7
Rescission of reservation from water frontage	28	150 0 34¾	24 16 3½	3,727 14 3	3,727 14 3
Sold conditionally ...	4,769	*793,004 0 31	.....	82,666 9 2	82,666 9 2
General Total...	9,387	1,025,910 3 0¼	.....	489,895 7 9	394,398 8 5
Balances received on Conditional Purchases					658 581 4 3
Balances received on Auction Purchases...					29,797 10 3
Interest received on Conditional Purchases					123,090 14 5
Total Amount received ... ... £					1,205,867 17 4

* This represents the area applied for only, and deposits tendered with applications, and not the area absolutely sold, which can only be arrived at after confirmation of applications.

No. 260.—Amount of Revenue derived from the occupation of Crown Land 1887.

Number.		Estimated Area.	Rent and Assessment received.
		Square miles.	£ s. d.
13	Pastoral Leases not converted under Act of 1884 ...	307	350 16 0
1,472	Occupation Licenses	94,041	269,920 13 8
1,598	Pastoral Leases	104,579	446,577 8 11
5,383	Annual Leases	5,814	18,115 11 3
302	Homestead Leases...	4,582	20,893 2 6
6,872	Conditional Leases...	7,504	53,492 5 8
15,640	Total...	216,827	809 349 18 0

No. 231.—Nationality and Number of Persons Naturalized in the Colony of New South Wales, 1878–1887.

Native Countries.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	Total
France	3	1	1	5	3	4	3	10	8	8	46
Spain...	1	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	5
Portugal	...	2	2	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	7
Switzerland	1	1	5	1	...	4	4	1	3	1	21
Italy	...	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	5	6	36
Germany	56	39	43	34	32	46	44	47	45	48	434
Austria	2	1	...	4	1	3	8	1	5	3	28
Holland	1	4	1	2	...	2	2	1	2	3	18
Belgium	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3
Denmark	7	2	13	7	5	12	11	7	18	19	101
Norway	1	1	...	8	1	3	6	3	4	5	32
Sweden	6	8	12	7	5	13	8	17	10	13	99
Russia	3	...	1	2	2	2	3	7	6	3	29
Poland	...	1	1	...	...	2	4	4	4	3	19
Greece	2	...	...	1	1	2	1	1	2	3	13
Persia	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Bulgaria	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
China	15	23	18	31	93	301	265	22	5	1	774
Hongkong	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
India...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Penang	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
America (unspecified)	...	...	1	...	...	4	2	...	...	1	8
United States ...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	5
Western Islands ...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	4	...	7
Corsica	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
New Caledonia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Unknown	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Total... ...	98	96	102	108	147	406	367	128	124	119	1,695

No. 262.—Number of Accidents in Coal Mines.

Year	Number of non-fatal Accidents.	Number of lives lost by Accident.	Persons employed per each non-fatal Accident.	Persons employed per each life lost.	Tons of round and small coal raised per each non-fatal accident.	Tons of round and small coal raised per each life lost.
1881	33	2	438	2,481	256,147	1,093,361
1882	33	12	785	1,428	419,331	682,448
1883	34	15	642	1,146	375,806	585,428
1884	34	14	716	1,089	1,333,895	505,264
1885	40	11	691	1,490	430,350	727,177
1886	43	29	771	1,024	394,707	335,205
1887	45	94	731	1,311	409,851	627,007

No. 263.—Tramway Accidents.

Year.	Employés.			Passengers.			Others.			Total.		
	Killed.	Injured.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total.
1880	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	2	2	4	2	3	5
1881	2	5	7	1	19	20	5	5	10	8	29	37
1882	1	5	6	3	28	31	4	15	19	8	48	56
1883	1	6	7	4	15	19	6	19	25	11	40	51
1884	.....	9	9	6	18	24	8	19	27	14	46	60
1885	1	6	7	2	7	9	3	9	12	6	22	28
1886	.....	9	9	3	8	11	4	17	21	7	34	41
1887	1	1	2	2	6	8	6	20	26	9	27	36

No. 261.—Railway Accidents.

Years.	Employés.			Passengers.			Others.			Total.			Proportion to Passengers carried.	
	Killed.	Injured.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total.	Killed.	Total Accidents.
													1 to	1 to
1873... ...	2	4	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	3	2	7	9	437,801	95,289
*1874... ...	5	15	20	3	1	4	2	.....	2	10	16	26	108,550	41,750
1875... ...	3	7	10	.....	3	3	.....	3	3	3	13	16	429,408	80,514
1876... ...	6	6	12	.....	3	3	3	2	5	9	11	20	191,970	86,386
1877... ...	6	13	19	.....	11	11	2	3	5	8	27	35	369,643	84,489
1878... ...	8	10	18	1	12	13	6	1	7	15	23	38	247,048	97,519
1879... ...	4	32	36	3	38	41	7	3	10	14	73	87	308,418	49,630
1880... ...	10	15	25	1	2	3	6	4	10	17	21	38	320,008	143,161
1881... ...	7	27	34	5	11	16	16	3	19	28	41	69	246,689	100,105
1882... ...	9	30	39	1	28	29	12	6	18	22	64	86	408,377	104,468
1883... ...	8	31	39	3	12	15	11	5	16	22	48	70	466,910	146,743
1884... ...	11	20	31	5	9	14	7	7	14	23	36	59	489,265	190,730
1885... ...	20	25	45	7	44	51	14	4	18	41	73	114	329,423	11,847
1886... ...	12	18	30	3	40	43	15	5	20	30	63	93	496,053	160,017
1887... ...	16	17	33	10	90	100	12	5	17	38	112	150	308,297	96,342

*There were also several persons slightly injured—the exact number cannot be ascertained.

No. 265.—Railway Accidents, 1887.

Month.	Passengers killed or injured.				Servants of the Department or of Contractors, killed or injured.				Trespassers, &c.	
	Causes beyond their own control.		Their own misconduct, or want of caution.		Causes beyond their own control.		Their own misconduct, or want of caution.		Their own want of caution.	
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
January	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...
February	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
March	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1
April	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	...
May	...	...	2	...	...	...	5	4	1	2
June	5	73	...	2	1	...	2	1	...	...
July	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	3	2	...
August	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...
September	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...
October	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1
November	...	...	1	2	...	...	4	...	2	...
December	...	...	1	1	....	1	1	1	1	1
Total	5	78	5	12	1	1	15	16	12	5

No. 266.—Tramway Accidents, 1887.

Month.	Servants of the Department.		Passengers.		Other Persons.	
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
January	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
February	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
March	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2
April	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	3
May	.....	.....	.....	1	3	2
June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
July	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
August	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
September	1	1	1	.....	1	.....
October	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7
November	.....	.....	.....	.....	1*	2
December	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Total	1	1	2	6	6	20

* Newcastle Plattsburg Tramway.

No. 267.—Nominal Rates of Wages of various Trades, &c., during 1887.

Blacksmiths and Wheelwrights	35/– to 60/– per week, of 9 hours per day
Farriers	35/– to 55/– „ of 8 hours per day
Shipwrights	11/– to 12/– per day of 8 hours.
Saddle, collar, and harness makers	30/– to 50/– per week of 54 hours.
Sailmakers	30/– to 50/– „ „
Tailors	50/– to 60/– per week, piecework.
Pressers	50/– to 60/– „ „
Cutters	70/– to 80/– per week, first-class hands up to £8 8/–
Silk hatters	53/– to 70/– per week, piecework.
Upholsterers	10/– to 12/– per day.
Furniture-makers—	
Cabinet-makers	8/– to 10/– „
French-polishers	8/– to 10/– „
Coopers	1/3 per hour, or piecework 40/– to 55/– per week.
Coal-miners	1/– to 1/3 per hour. Miners are mostly paid piecework. Northern mines hewing rate, 4/2 per ton; Southern 2/6, and Western, 2/4.
Coal lumpers and trimmers	1/3 per hour day, 1/6 per hour night work.
Wharf labourers	1/– per hour.
Bootmakers (factory hands)	25/– to 55/– per week.
Cooks and pastry-cooks	30/– to 60/– „
Drapers	30/– to 70/– „
Tobacco operatives	25/– to 50/– „
Gas-stokers	8d. to 1/– per hour, 8-hour shifts.
Sawyers and mill-workers	8d. to 1/3 per hour.
Butchers	8d. to 1/– „
Compositors	Piecework, 1/1 per thousand day, and 1/2 per thousand night-work, or 55/– to 65/– per week, good jobbing hands.
Government Railways—	
Gangers	9/– per day.
Fettlers	7/6 „
Labourers, Line-repairing	7/6 „
Engine-drivers	11/–, 12/–, 13/–, 14/– per day.
Firemen	8/– to 10/– per day.
Fitters	10/– to 12/4 „
Cleaners	7/– „
Turners and machinists	8/– to 11/8 „
Blacksmiths	10/– to 14/– „
Strikers	7/6 „
Boiler-makers	9/4 to 12/2 „
„ assistant	7/– to 7/6 „
Carriage and waggon builders	9/6 to 11/– „
Station-masters	£150 to £400 per annum.
Telegraph operators	£50 to £195 „
Signalmen shunters	7/– to 11/– per day.
Guards	8/– to 12/– „
Porters	7/– to 10/– „

No. 267.—*continued.*

Government Tramways—	
Conductors	8/- to 9/- per day.
Cleaners	6/6 to 7/6 ,,
Flagmen	7/- ,,
Engine-drivers	12/- to 13/- ,,
Firemen	7/6 to 9/- ,,
Engine-fitters	10/- ,,
Labourers	7/- ,,
Iron Trades—	
Iron-moulders	9/4 to 11/- per day of 8 hours.
Boiler-makers and shipsmiths	9/4 to 11/- ,, ,,
Boiler-makers' assistants	6/- to 7/6 ,, ,,
Iron-turners	9/4 to 12/- ,, ,,
Engine-fitters	9/4 to 11/- ,, ,,
Blacksmiths	9/4 to 12/- ,, ,,
Strikers	6/- to 7/6 ,, ,,
Furnacemen	6/8 to 8/- ,, ,,
Engine-drivers	40/- to 50/- per week.
Labourers working with engineers, &c.	5/- to 6/8 per day of 8 hours.
Pattern-makers	10/- to 12/- ,, ,,
Ironworkers (Eskbank)	8d. to 1/- per hour.
Brass and Copper Trades—	
Brass-moulders	9/4 to 10/- per day of 8 hours.
Brass-finishers	8/- to 12/- ,, ,,
Copper-smiths	10/- to 12/- ,, ,,
Tin and Galvanized-iron Trades—	
Tinsmiths	8/- to 10/- ,, ,,
Galvanized-iron workers	9/- to 10/- ,, ,,
Black-iron workers	8/- to 10/- ,, ,,
Building-trades—	
Stonemasons	10/- to 11/- ,, ,,
Bricklayers	11/- to 12/- ,, ,,
Plasterers	11/- ,, ,,
Quarrymen	7/- to 10/- ,, ,,
Carpenters and joiners	9/- to 10/- ,, ,,
Painters	9/- ,, ,,
Labourers in building trades	8/- ,, ,,
Plumbers	10/- to 11/- ,, ,,
Gasfitters	10/- to 11/- ,, ,,
Slaters	10/- to 12/- ,, ,,
Brickmakers and Potters—	
Brickmakers	10½d. to 1/- per hour.
Pipe-makers	8/- to 10/- per day of 8 hours.
Potters	8/- to 10/- ,, ,,
Pitmen	7/- to 8/- ,, ,,

No. 267.—*continued.*

Coachbuilding Trade—			
Coachmakers	8/- to 10/-	per day of 8 hours.	
Coachbuilders...	8/- to 10/-	,,	,,
Wheelwrights	8/- to 10/-	,,	,,
Painters	6/8 to 10/-	,,	,,
Trimmers	8/- to 10/-	,,	,,
Coachsmiths	8/- to 10/-	,,	,,
Municipal labourers—			
Skilled Labourers	8/-	per day.	
Unskilled ,, ...	6/6 to 7/-	,,	
Carters (finding horse and cart)	11/6	,,	
Pipe-layers	9/-	,,	
Sewermen	8/-	,,	
Gangers	9/- to 14/-	,,	
Domestic Servants—			
Cooks (female)	£45 to £65	per annum.	
,, (males)	£52 to £78	,,	
Hotel cooks	£65 to £200	,,	
Laundresses	£45 to £52	,,	
Housemaids	£30 to £40	,,	
General servants	£35 to £52	,,	
Nursemaids	£20 to £39	,,	
Grooms and coachmen	£52	,,	
Station Hands—			
Married couples	£65 to £80 per annum, including rations or board.		
Farm labourers	£40 to £52	,,	,,
Bullock-drivers	£40 to £52	,,	,,
Horse teamsters	£40 to £65	,,	,,
Boundary-riders	£40 to £52	,,	,,
Stockmen	£40 to £75	,,	,,
Shepherds	£35 to £45	,,	,,
Gardeners	£40 to £52	,,	,,
Boys	£25 to £35	,,	,,
Roadmakers, tanksinkers, &c.	6/- to 8/-	per day, including rations or board.	
Navvies	6/6 to 8/-	per day.	

SUPPLEMENT.

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No. 1.—Area and Population of Australasia, 1886–7.

Colony.	Area in square miles.	On December 31st, 1887.					Total population on 31st December, 1886.	Increase in 1887.	
		Estimated population.			Number of females to 100 males.	Number of persons to the square mile.		Numerical.	Per cent.
		Males.	Females.	Total.					
New South Wales	310,700	574,012	468,907	1,042,919*	81·68	3·36	1,001,966*	40,953	4·09
Victoria	87,884	550,050	486,060	1,036,110*	88·36	11·79	1,003,043*	33,067	3·30
Queensland	668,224	214,531	152,409	366,940	71·04	0·55	342,614	24,326	7·10
South Australia	903,425	160,441	151,980	312,421	94·73	0·35	312,758	337†	0·01†
Western Australia	975,920	24,807	17,681	42,488	73·40	0·04	39,584	2,904	7·34
Tasmania	26,375	76,245	66,233	142,478	86·87	5·40	137,211	5,267	3·84
New Zealand	104,235	324,558	278,803	603,361‡	82·82	5·79	589,386‡	13,975	2·32
Total, Australasia	3,076,763	1,924,644	1,622,073	3,546,717	84·28	1·15	3,426,562	120,155	3·39

*In estimating the population of New South Wales and Victoria allowance has been made for unrecorded departures. † Decrease. ‡ Exclusive of Maoris, to the number of 41,969.

No. II.—Population, 1871, 1881, 1887.

Colony.	1871.			1881.			1887.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
New South Wales	275,551	228,430	503,981	411,149	340,319	751,468	574,012	468,907	1,042,919
Victoria	401,050	330,478	731,528	452,083	410,263	862,346	550,050	486,060	1,036,110
Queensland	71,767	48,337	120,104	125,325	88,200	213,525	214,531	152,409	366,940
*South Australia	95,408	90,218	185,626	149,530	130,335	279,865	160,441	151,980	312,421
Western Australia	15,565	9,788	25,353	17,062	12,646	29,708	24,807	17,681	42,488
Tasmania	53,911	47,874	101,785	61,162	54,543	115,705	76,245	66,233	142,478
New Zealand	150,356	106,037	†256,393	269,605	220,328	†489,933	324,558	278,803	603,361
Total, Australasia ...	1,063,608	861,162	1,924,770	1,485,916	1,256,634	2,742,550	1,924,644	1,622,073	3,546,717

* Exclusive of aborigines.

† Exclusive of Maoris, estimated at 37,502 in 1871, and 44,097 in 1881, and who now number 41,969.

NOTE.—The population for 1871 and 1881 is from the census; that for 1887 is the estimate for the close of the year.

No. III.—Births, Deaths, and Marriages, 1887.

Colony	Marriages.		Births.		Deaths.		Excess of Births over Deaths.	
	No.	Per 1,000 of Population.	No.	Per 1,000 of Population.	No.	Per 1,000 of Population.	No.	Per cent.
New South Wales	7,590	7·42	37,236	36·42	13,448	13·15	23,788	176·89
Victoria	7,768	7·62	33,022	32·39	15,993	15·69	17,029	106·48
Queensland	2,914	8·21	13,513	38·09	5,166	14·56	8,347	161·57
South Australia	1,977	6·32	10,831	34·65	3,944	12·62	6,887	174·62
Western Australia	316	7·70	1,557	37·94	702	17·11	855	121·79
Tasmania	939	6·99	4,736	33·87	2,161	15·45	2,575	119·16
New Zealand	3,563	5·97	19,135	31·71	6,137	10·17	12,998	211·80
Total, Australasia	25,067	7·13	120,030	34·43	47,551	13·64	72,479	152·42

No. IV.—Immigration and Emigration by Sea, 1885-87.

Colony.	1885.			1886.			1887.		
	No. of Immigrants.	No. of Emigrants.	Excess of Immigrants.	No. of Immigrants.	No. of Emigrants.	Excess of Immigrants.	No. of Immigrants.	No. of Emigrants.	Excess of Immigrants.
New South Wales	78,138	38,455	39,683	70,388	41,896	28,492	67,605	44,089	23,516
Victoria	76,976	61,994	14,982	93,404	68,102	25,302	90,147	68,121	22,026
Queensland	34,334	22,768	11,566	34,101	20,911	13,190	32,393	16,414	15,979
South Australia	14,500	21,917	(—) 7,417	17,623	25,231	(—) 7,608	15,468	17,667	(—) 2,199
Western Australia	3,047	1,419	1,628	5,615	1,877	3,738	4,450	2,400	2,050
Tasmania	14,822	14,173	649	15,399	14,630	769	14,980	12,288	2,692
New Zealand	16,199	11,695	4,504	16,101	15,037	1,064	13,689	12,712	977
Total, Australasia	238,016	172,421	65,595	252,631	187,684	64,947	238,732	173,691	65,041

The immigration and emigration in this table is by sea only. It is probable that all the emigration figures are too low, as it has been ascertained that the departure of many persons by sea is not recorded. Minus sign (—) denotes excess of emigration.

No. V.—Live Stock, 1887-8.

Colony.	Sheep.		Horned Cattle.		Horses.		Pigs.		Total.	
	Number.	Percentage in each Colony.	Number.	Percentage in each Colony.	Number.	Percentage in each Colony.	Number.	Percentage in each Colony.	Number.	Percentage in each Colony.
New South Wales	46,965,152	48·69	1,575,487	17·67	390,609	27·13	264,111	23·70	49,195,359	45·57
Victoria	10,623,985	11·01	1,333,873	14·96	315,000	21·89	243,461	21·85	12,516,319	11·60
Queensland	12,926,158	13·40	4,473,716	50·17	305,865	21·25	73,663	6·61	17,779,402	16·47
South Australia...	7,254,000	7·52	440,000	4·93	170,000	11·81	179,000	16·07	8,043,000	7·45
Western Australia	1,909,940	1·98	93,444	1·05	41,100	2·85	23,627	2·12	2,068,111	1·92
Tasmania	1,547,242	1·60	147,092	1·65	29,528	2·05	52,408	4·70	1,776,270	1·65
New Zealand	*15,235,561	15·80	†853,358	9·57	†187,382	13·02	†277,901	24·95	16,554,202	15·34
Total, Australasia	96,462,038	100·00	8,916,970	100·00	1,439,484	100·00	1,114,171	100·00	107,932,663	100·00

* May, 1887. † March, 1886.

Returns of Live Stock are collected in most of the Colonies in February and March, and the figures given above are for those months in 1888.

No. VI.—Agriculture, 1887-8. Area under, and

Colony.	Grain Crops.								Hay.	
	Wheat.		Maize.		Oats.		Barley.			
	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.
	acres.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	acres.	tons.
New South Wales	389,390	4,695,849	171,662	4,953,125	19,393	394,762	4,402	84,533	170,324	504,525
Victoria	1,232,943	13,328,765	6,031	318,551	199,036	4,562,530	40,983	956,476	441,812	624,122
Queensland	8,248	182,308	73,139	1,631,890	550	13,343	1,165	31,493	25,734	51,896
South Australia	*1,950,000	*19,012,500	....	.....	7,264	§	15,697	§	308,429	§
Western Anstralia	27,512	269,611	164	1,762	1,680	25,424	5,935	69,710	25,807	24,167
Tasmania	40,498	675,069	....	.....	21,169	385,195	3,766	52,240	44,562	50,901
New Zealand	357,359	9,424,059	5,732	223,270	336,474	10,512,119	27,912	760,874	67,425	100,507

* Estimate. ‖ Also, 788 tons of grapes for table use. † Information not available. ‡ Including 313,293 acres turnips.
March, 1885.

No. VII.—Live Stock in the

Colony.	1871.					1881.	
	Sheep.	Cattle.	Horses.	Pigs.	Total.	Sheep.	Cattle.
New South Wales	16,278,697	2,014,888	304,100	213,193	18,810,878	36,591,946	2,597,348
Victoria	10,002,381	799,509	181,643	177,447	11,160,980	10,267,265	1,286,677
Queensland.....	7,403,334	1,168,235	91,910	32,707	8,696,186	8,292,883	3,618,513
South Australia ...	4,412,055	143,463	78,125	95,542	4,729,185	6,810,856	314,918
Western Australia	670,999	49,593	22,698	14,265	757,555	1,267,912	63,009
Tasmania	1,305,489	101,540	23,054	52,863	1,482,946	1,847,479	130,526
New Zealand	9,700,629	436,592	81,028	151,460	10,369,709	12,985,085	698,637
Total, Australasia	49,773,584	4,713,820	782,558	737,477	56,007,439	78,063,426	8,709,628

Produce of some of the principal Crops.

Potatoes.		Vines.			Sugar-cane.			Green Fodder for Cattle.	Permanent Artificial Grasses.	All other Crops.	Total Area under Cultivation, 1888.	Colony.
Area.	Produce.	Total Area under Vines.	Area of productive Vines only.	Produce.	Total Area under Sugar-cane.	Area of productive Canes only.	Produce.	Area.	Area.	Area.		
acres.	tons.	acres.	acres.	gallons.	acres.	acres.	tons of cane.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	
2,371	61,455	6,745	4,675	669,988	15,287	13,119	273,928	13,015	192,678	63,038	1,048,305	N. S. Wales.
48,263	198,225	11,195	....	1,171,226	....	....	....	11,048	158,047	1,291	2,576,405	Victoria.
8,717	30,679	1,658	1,262	‖118,672	51,815	36,806	¶	10,056	13,619	24,655	205,737	Queensland.
5,666	§	4,590	§	§	....	....	....	....	....	....	2,762,273	S. Australia.
474	1,130	672	†	124,240	....	....	....	856	....	1,795	105,582	W. Australia.
16,394	42,526	....	....	.....	....	....	....	1,246	184,653	145,148	457,436	Tasmania.
25,338	138,060	....	....	.....	....	....	....	‡421,719	....	198,096	1,440,055	New Zealand.

§ No agricultural statistics were collected in South Australia in 1886, 1887, or 1888. The areas given are for the year ended
¶ 60,806 tons of sugar.

Australasian Colonies—1871, 1881, 1887.

1881.			1887.*				
Horses.	Pigs.	Total.	Sheep.	Cattle.	Horses.	Pigs.	Total.
398,577	213,916	39,801,787	46,965,152	1,575,487	390,609	264,111	49,195,359
278,195	239,926	12,072,063	10,623,985	1,333,873	315,000	243,461	12,516,319
194,217	56,438	12,162,051	12,926,158	4,473,716	305,865	73,663	17,779,402
159,678	120,718	7,406,170	7,254,000	440,000	170,000	179,000	8,043,000
31,755	22,530	1,385,206	1,909,940	93,444	41,100	23,627	2,068,111
27,805	49,660	2,055,470	1,547,242	147,092	29,528	52,408	1,776,270
161,736	200,083	14,045,541	†15,235,561	‡853,358	‡187,382	‡277,901	16,554,202
1,251,963	903,271	88,928,288	96,462,038	8,916,970	1,439,484	1,114,171	107,932,663

* Year ended 31 March, 1888. † May, 1887. ‡ March, 1886.

No. VIII.—Total Imports, 1878-87.

Colony.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ...	14,768,873	14,198,847	13,950,075	17,409,326	21,281,130	20,960,157	22,826,985	23,365,196	20,973,548	18,806,236
Victoria	16,161,880	13,035,538	14,556,894	16,718,521	18,748,081	17,743,846	19,201,633	18,044,604	18,530,575	19,022,151
Queensland	3,436,077	3,080,889	3,087,296	4,063,625	6,318,463	6,233,351	6,381,976	6,422,490	6,103,227	5,821,611
*South Australia	5,719,611	5,014,150	5,581,497	5,224,064	6,707,788	6,310,055	5,749,353	5,548,393	4,852,750	5,096,293
Western Australia ...	379,050	407,299	353,669	404,831	508,755	516,847	521,167	650,391	758,013	832,213
Tasmania	1,324,812	1,267,475	1,369,223	1,431,144	1,670,872	1,832,637	1,656,118	1,757,486	1,756,567	1,596,817
New Zealand	8,755,663	8,374,585	6,162,011	7,457,045	8,609,270	7,974,038	7,663,888	7,479,921	6,759,013	6,245,515
Total, Australasia	50,545,966	45,378,783	45,060,665	52,708,556	63,844,359	61,570,931	64,001,120	63,268,391	59,733,693	57,420,836

* Exclusive of imports at Port Darwin, which amounted to £101,726 in 1881, £113,030 in 1882, £126,303 in 1883, £140,229 in 1884, £146,708 in 1885, and £293,854 in 1886.

No. IX.—Total Exports, 1878-1887.

Colony.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ...	12,965,879	13,086,819	15,525,138	16,049,503	16,716,961	19,886,018	18,251,506	16,541,745	15,556,213	18,496,917
Victoria	14,925,707	12,454,170	15,954,559	16,252,103	16,193,579	16,398,863	16,050,465	15,551,758	11,795,321	11,351,145
Queensland	3,190,419	3,434,034	3,448,160	3,540,366	3,534,452	5,276,608	4,673,864	5,243,404	4,933,970	6,453,945
*South Australia	5,355,021	4,762,727	5,574,505	4,407,757	5,359,890	4,883,461	6,623,704	5,636,255	4,489,008	5,330,780
Western Australia ...	428,491	494,884	499,183	502,770	583,056	447,010	405,693	446,692	630,393	604,656
Tasmania	1,315,695	1,301,097	1,511,931	1,555,576	1,587,389	1,731,599	1,475,857	1,313,693	1,331,540	1,449,371
New Zealand	6,015,525	5,743,126	6,352,692	6,060,866	6,658,008	7,095,999	7,091,667	6,819,939	6,672,791	6,866,169
Total, Australasia	44,196,737	41,276,857	48,866,168	48,368,941	50,633,335	55,719,558	54,572,756	51,553,486	45,409,236	50,552,983

* Exclusive of exports at Port Darwin, which amounted to £112,702 in 1881, £83,981 in 1882, £78,880 in 1883, £90,411 in 1884, £97,555 in 1885, and £94,627 in 1886.

No. X.—Total Trade—Imports and Exports, 1887.

Colony.	Imports.	Exports.			Total Trade.	Per head of Population.			
		Home Produce.	Re-exports.	Total Exports.		Imports.	Export of Home Produce.	Total Exports.	Total Trade.
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales	18,806,236	15,472,361	3,024,556	18,496,917	37,303,153	18 7 10	15 2 8	18 1 10	36 9 8
Victoria	19,022,151	8,502,979	2,848,166	11,351,145	30,373,296	18 13 2	8 6 10	11 2 8	29 15 10
Queensland	5,821,611	6,338,205	115,740	6,453,945	12,275,556	16 8 2	17 17 4	18 3 10	34 12 0
South Australia	5,096,293	3,348,561	1,982,219	5,330,780	10,427,073	16 6 1	10 14 3	17 1 1	33 7 2
Western Australia	832,213	601,186	3,470	604,656	1,436,869	20 5 7	14 13 0	14 14 8	35 0 3
Tasmania	1,596,817	1,425,457	23,914	1,449,371	3,046,188	11 8 4	10 3 10	10 7 3	21 15 7
New Zealand	6,245,515	6,551,081	315,088	6,866,169	13,111,684	10 9 6	10 19 8	11 10 3	21 19 9
Total, Australasia ...	57,420,836	42,239,830	8,313,153	50,552,933	107,973,819	16 9 5	12 2 3	14 10 0	30 19 5

No. XI.—Imports and Exports, 1887.

Colony.	Imports.					Exports.				
	From United Kingdom.	From Australasian Colonies.	From other British Possessions.	From Foreign States.	Total Imports.	To United Kingdom.	To Australasian Colonies.	To other British Possessions.	To Foreign States.	Total Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ...	7,998,568	8,651,494	549,805	1,606,369	18,806,236	6,966,056	8,968,491	525,729	2,036,641	18,496,917
Victoria	8,290,046	7,389,676	992,599	2,349,830	19,022,151	5,476,229	4,519,376	548,947	806,593	11,351,145
Queensland	2,296,803	3,182,175	132,066	210,567	5,821,611	2,001,827	4,350,048	80,433	21,637	6,453 945
South Australia ...	1,958,435	2,657,229	233,788	246,841	5,096,293	2,930,298	1,973,992	220,627	205,863	5,330,780
Western Australia ...	351.460	412,533	53,255	14,965	832,213	382,072	92,434	73,607	56,543	604,656
Tasmania	435,557	1,110,899	18.973	31,388	1.596,817	350,274	1,098,902	195	.....	1,449,371
New Zealand	4,173,497	1,030,094	348,113	693,811	6,245,515	4,847,413	1,457,782	64,202	496,772	6,866,169
Total, Australasia ...	25,504,366	24,434,100	2,328,599	5,153,771	57,420,836	22,954,169	22,461,025	1,513,740	3,624,049	50,552,983

No. XII.—Total Tonnage of Vessels entered and cleared, 1877—87.

Colony.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
New South Wales ...	2,237,981	2,459,504	2,540,724	2,432,779	2,786,500	3,296,665	4,006,237	4,660,958	4,133,077	4,258,604	4,322,758
Victoria	1,874,985	1,913,427	1,940,222	2,179,899	2,411,902	2,690,884	2,964,331	3,151,587	3,260,158	3,735,387	3,858,243
Queensland	956,844	1,066,758	1,256,394	1,255,576	1,533,808	1,880,591	882,491	1,152,112	1,029,181	1,120,479	924,232
South Australia... ...	672,776	906,273	932,891	1,200,904	1,269,491	1,337,218	1,504,765	1,834,532	1,807,042	1,558,476	1,677,883
Western Australia ...	151,133	162,753	170,037	250,429	285,046	344,247	389,102	442,886	468,035	497,508	492,850
Tasmania...	319,517	315,854	381,895	413,303	383,762	417,418	471,122	614,198	667,806	692,429	735,299
New Zealand	789,177	884,983	949,692	819,716	833,621	899,836	1,002,491	1,063,430	1,032,700	990,903	983,337
Total, Australasia ...	7,002,413	7,709,552	8,171,855	8,552,606	9,504,130	10,866,859	11,220,539	12,919,703	12,397,999	12,853,786	12,994,602

No. XIII.—Number and Tonnage of Vessels—Inwards and Outwards, 1887,

Colony.	Inwards.						Outwards.						Total.					
	Number.			Tonnage.			Number.			Tonnage.			Number.			Tonnage.		
	Steam.	Sailing.	Total,	Steam.	Sailing.	Total.	Steam.	Sailing.	Total.	Steam.	Sailing.	Total.	Steam.	Sailing.	Total.	Steam.	Sailing.	Total.
New South Wales	1,903	912	2,815	1,569,625	572,832	2,142,457	1,937	969	2,906	1,575,923	604,378	2,180,301	3,840	1,881	5,721	3,145,548	1,177,210	4,322,758
Victoria	1,840	595	2,435	1,542,763	377,417	1,920,180	1,816	602	2,418	1,541,523	396,540	1,038,063	3,656	1,197	4,853	3,084,286	773,957	3,858,243
South Australia	660	247	907	710,063	131,359	841,422	665	240	905	716,278	126,183	836,461	1,325	487	1,812	1,420,341	257,542	1,677,883
Queensland	..	..	838	.....	.....	468,180	..	..	879	.....	.....	456,052	..	..	1,717	.....	.....	924,232
Western Australia	136	130	266	208,783	43,540	252,323	129	119	248	198,263	42,264	240,527	265	249	514	407,046	85,804	492,850
Tasmania	..	..	677	.....	.....	360,404	..	..	714	.....	.....	374,895	..	..	1,391	.....	.....	735,299
New Zealand	213	440	653	293,829	195,925	489,754	209	466	675	292,691	200,892	493,583	422	906	1,328	586,520	396,817	983,337
Total, Australasia....	..	..	8,591	.....	.....	6,474,720	..	..	8,745	.....	.....	6,519,882	..	..	17,336	.....	.....	12,994,602

NOTE.—Where blanks occur information could not be procured.

No. XIV.—Public Revenue, 1887.

Colony.	Revenue derived from—					Revenue per Head derived from—				
	Taxation.	Land.	Public Services—Railways, Post Office, Telegraphs.	Other Sources.	Total.	Taxation.	Land.	Public Services—Railways, &c.	Other Sources.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales	2,664,548	2,378,995	3,245,907	293,361	8,582,811	2 12 2	2 6 6	3 3 6	0 5 8	8 7 10
Victoria	3,364,176	583,815	2,828,848	277,595	7,054,434*	3 5 4	0 11 6	2 14 11	0 5 6	6 17 0
Queensland	1,285,115	580,903	908,237	258,208	3,032,463	3 12 5	1 12 9	2 11 2	0 14 6	8 10 10
South Australia	648,645	191,971	869,414	304,072	2,014,102	2 1 6	0 12 3	2 15 8	0 19 5	6 8 10
Western Australia... ...	188,911	76,929	64,538	49,525	379,903	4 12 1	1 17 6	1 11 5	1 4 2	9 5 2
Tasmania	375,501	65,886	99,391	54,202	594,980	2 13 8	0 9 5	0 14 2	0 7 9	4 5 0
New Zealand	1,876,235	284,356	1,231,896	84,596	3,477,083	3 2 11	0 9 6	2 1 4	0 2 10	5 16 7
Total, Australasia...	10,403,131	4,162,855	9,248,231	1,321,559	25,135,776	2 19 9	1 3 11	2 13 1	0 7 7	7 4 4

* For year ended 30th June, 1888.

No. XV.—Public Revenue, 1878-87.

Colony.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ...	4,991,919	4,481,665	4,911,990	6 714,327	7,418,536	6,470,341	7,117,592	7,587,368	7,594,301	8,582,811
*Victoria	4,504,413	4,621,520	4,621,282	5,186,011	5,592,362	5,611,253	5,934,687	6,290,361	6,481,021	†7,054,434
Queensland	*1,559,111	*1,461,824	*1,612,314	*2,023,668	*2,102,095	2,583,444	2,673,554	2,840,960	2,810,147	3,032,463
South Australia	1,592,634	1,662,498	2,027,963	2,177,998	2,087,076	2,060,140	2,024,928	2,309,592	1,975,269	2,014,102
Western Australia ...	163,344	196,315	180,050	254,313	250,372	284,364	290,319	323,213	388,564	379,903
Tasmania	385,936	375.570	442,158	505,006	550,765	562,189	549,262	571,397	568,924	594,980
New Zealand	4,167,889	3,134.905	3,283,396	3.757,493	3,917,160	3,871,267	3,707,488	3,859,996	3,688,016	3,477,083
Total, Australasia ...	17,365,246	15,934,297	17,079,153	20,618,816	21,918,366	21,442,998	22,297,830	23 782,887	23,506,242	25,135,776

*Year ended 30th June. † For the year ended 30th June, 1888.

No. XVI.—Customs and Excise Revenue.—1878-87.

Colony.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ...	1,149,179	1,108,140	1,182,604	1,452,456	1,514,263	1,527,863	1,726,811	1,952,265	2,068,571	2,011,947
*Victoria	1,577,492	1,516,819	1,540,650	1,908,699	2,080,145	2,027,872	2,148,257	2,262,973	2,392,022	2,483,296
Queensland	571,731	511,132	483,753	528,795	639,007	753,703	866,475	990,057	965,754	1,084,709
South Australia	511,456	513,431	517,631	542,666	636,091	618,871	517,489	571,358	436,114	467,889
Western Australia ...	74,759	87,119	94,518	106,944	117,753	119,865	116,932	134,116	164,048	170,972
Tasmania	211,030	199,688	219,148	256,129	290,603	*297,175	*254,946	*276,100	*276,265	274,065
New Zealand	1,338,863	1,230,600	1,264,807	1,417,392	1,515,026	1,411,405	1,400,343	1,428,809	1,315,801	1,273,236
Total, Australasia ...	5,434,510	5,166,929	5,303,111	6,213,081	6,792,888	6,756,754	7,031,253	7,615,678	7,618,575	7,766,114

No. XVIII.—Public Expenditure, 1887. (Exclusive of Expenditure from Loans.)

Colony.	Total Expenditure.					Expenditure per Head.				
	Railways and Tramways.	Other Public Works, including Post and Telegraphs.	Interest on Debt.	Other Services.	Total.	Railways and Tramways	Other Public Works, including Post and Telegraphs.	Interest on Debt.	Other Services.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales ...	1,698,716	1,806,806	1,693,926	3,899,012	9,098,460	1 13 3	1 15 4	1 13 2	3 16 3	8 18 0
*Victoria	1,605,061	977,615	1,400,642	2,621,486	6,604,804	1 11 6	0 19 2	1 7 6	2 11 5	6 9 7
Queensland	534,381	517,970	942,815	1,354,883	3,350,049	1 10 2	1 9 2	2 13 2	3 16 5	9 8 11
South Australia	409,128	273,755	710,030	752,222	2,145,135	1 6 3	0 17 6	2 5 5	2 8 2	6 17 3
Western Australia ...	47,712	99,814	65 840	243,531	456,897	1 3 3	2 8 8	1 12 1	5 18 8	11 2 8
Tasmania	80,902	172,615	182,571	232,670	668,758	0 11 9	1 4 8	1 6 1	1 13 3	4 15 9
New Zealand	653,363	406,481	1,499,784	1,394,662	3,954,290	1 1 11	0 13 7	2 10 3	2 6 9	6 12 7
Total, Australasia ...	5,029,263	4,255,056	6,495,608	10,498,466	26,278,393	1 8 11	1 4 5	1 17 4	3 0 3	7 10 11

* For year ended 30th June, 1888.

No. XVIII—Public Expenditure, 1878-87.

Colony.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ...	5,078,381	5,745,509	5,502,760	5,788,942	6,355,610	7,791,088	8,414,360	8,566,488	9,078,869	9,098,460
*Victoria	4,634,349	4,833,379	4,875,029	5,108,642	5,145,764	5,651,885	5,715,293	6,140,356	6,513,540	†6,604,804
Queensland	*1,543,820	*1,678,631	*1,673,695	*1,757,654	*1,904,201	2,242,971	2,751,851	2,875,609	3,202,030	3,350,049
South Australia	1,620,310	1,847,256	1,923,605	2,054,285	2,146,599	2,330,079	2,398,191	2,454,808	2,383,290	2,145,135
Western Australia ...	198,243	195,812	204,338	197,386	205,451	240,566	291,307	308,849	394,675	456,897
Tasmania	379,232	481,216	415,196	463,684	500,801	533,036	584,047	585,767	584,756	668,758
New Zealand	4,365,275	3,845,036	4,019,850	3,675,797	3,824,735	3,924,005	4,101,318	4,282,901	4,310,875	3,954,290
Total, Australasia ...	17,819,610	186,26,839	18,614,473	19,046,390	20,083,161	22,713,630	24,256,367	25,214,778	26,468,035	26,278,393

* For year ended 30th June. † For year ended 30th June, 1888

No. XIX.—Public Debt, 1878-1887.

Colony	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ...	11,688,119	14,937,419	14,903,919	16,924,919	18,721,219	24,632,459	30,101,959	35,564,259	41,034,249	40,995,350
*Victoria	17,022,065	20,050,953	20,060,749	22,426,502	22,103,202	24,308,175	27,526,667	28,628,588	30,114,203	33,119,164
Queensland	8,935,350	10,192,150	12,192,150	13,245,150	13,125,350	14,907,850	16,419,850	19,320,850	20,820,850	23,320,850
South Australia	5,329,600	6,605,750	9,865,500	11,196,800	12,472,600	13,891,900	15,473,800	17,020,900	18,340,200	19,168,500
Western Australia ...	184,556	361,000	361,000	511,000	511,000	611,000	765,000	1,288,100	1,286,000	1,280,700
Tasmania	1,747,400	1,943,700	1,943,700	2,003,000	2,050,600	2,385,600	3,202,300	3,357,000	4,026,720	4,109,370
†New Zealand	22,608,311	28,583,231	28,583,231	29,659,111	30,235,711	31,385,411	32,860,982	35,790,422	37,587,776	‡38,681,483
Total, Australasia ...	67,515,401	82,674,203	87,910,249	95,965,582	99,219,682	112,122,395	126,350,558	140,970,119	153,209,998	160,675,417

* Amounts outstanding on 30th June in each year. † Including debts of Provincial Governments. ‡ Accrued Sinking Fund, £3,727,448.

No. XX.—Expenditure from Loans for Various Services to 31st December, 1887.

Colony.	Railways.	Water Supply and Sewerage.	Immigration.	Other Services.	Total.	Proportion per head of the Mean Population.				
						Railways.	Water Supply.	Immigration.	Other Services.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales... ...	29,989,750	3,472,882	569,930	5,886,135	*39,918,697	29 6 8	3 7 11	0 11 2	5 15 2	39 0 11
Victoria	25,413,206	5,007,650	.....	2,698,308	†33,119,164	24 18 6	4 18 3	.....	2 12 11	32 9 8
Queensland...	13,127,799	472,115	2,379,447	7,341,489	23,320,850	37 0 0	1 6 7	6 14 2	20 13 11	65 14 8
South Australia	10,891,728	2,729,500	.....	5,547,272	19,168,500	34 16 10	8 14 8	.....	17 14 11	61 6 5
Western Australia... ...	816,147	.....	.....	464,553	1,280,700	19 17 9	.....	.....	11 6 5	31 4 2
Tasmania	1,505,276	.....	235,000	2,369,094	4,109,370	10 15 3	.....	1 13 7	16 18 10	29 7 8
New Zealand	13,362,424	559,941	2,133,669	18,898,001	‡34,954,035	24 3 8	0 18 9	3 11 4	31 13 9	60 7 6
Total, Australasia	95,106,330	12,242,088	5,318,046	43,204,852	155,871,316	27 9 8	3 10 3	1 10 2	12 4 0	44 14 1

* The total debt was £40,995,350 showing an unexpended balance of £1,076,653 at the close of the year 1887. † On 30th June, 1887.
‡ On 31st March, 1888. Accrued Sinking Fund, £3,727,448.

No. XXI.—Liabilities and Assets of Banks, 1882-1887.

Colony.	1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.	
	Liabilities.	Assets.	Liabilities.	Assets.	Liabilities.	Assets.	Liabilities.	Assets.	Liabilities.	Assets.	Liabilities.	Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
*New South Wales	25,089,892	31,714,134	26,154,560	33,392,652	28,851,230	36,835,195	29,687,296	38,143,433	31,385,887	41,122,097	31,831,499	42,268,720
*Victoria	25,496,305	31,248,586	25,856,709	31,742,507	30,186,336	36,018,866	32,517,640	39,174,120	33,085,989	41,170,989	37,192,949	46,733,325
*Queensland	6,600,572	9,133,039	7,494,705	10,310,640	7,662,542	11,155,423	9,085,592	13,527,826	7,889,167	14,535,409	9,491,230	15,565,615
*South Australia	5,776,666	10,812,498	5,306,594	11,868,024	5,553,160	11,546,827	6,504,793	12,380,722	5,474,663	11,446,883	5,712,295	10,412,043
Western Australia	484,347	715,343	604,463	872,329	686,598	1,039,751	823,010	1,250,327	1,023,308	1,609,468	937,540	1,656,134
*Tasmania	3,097,319	2,989,928	3,735,242	3,512,618	4,208,863	3,986,376	3,814,632	3,754,226	4,325,722	4,239,884	4,047,193	4,080,673
†New Zealand	10,015,274	17,162,235	9,706,700	17,794,761	10,691,599	18,442,139	11,130,244	18,811,566	11,603,194	19,041,827	11,995,495	18,799,847
Total, Australasia.....	76,560,375	103,775,763	78,858,973	109,493,531	87,840,337	119,024,577	93,563,207	127,042,220	94,787,930	133,166,557	101,208,201	139,516,357

* Average for last quarter of the year. † Average for the year.

No. XXII.—Abstract of Banking Statistics, 1887.

Colony.	Liabilities.					Assets						
	Notes in circulation.	Bills in circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.	Total Liabilities.	Coin.	Bullion.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted and all other Debts due to the Banks.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ...	1,526,096	64,146	1,208,727	29,032,530	31,831,499	4,870,315	65,187	1,184,463	116,233	2,680,343	33,352,179	42,268,720
Victoria	1,461,068	67,899	448,435	35,215,547	37,192,949	6,512,573	326,146	1,388,617	178,933	292,994	38,034,062	46,733,325
Queensland	706,036	25,909	50,986	8,708,299	9,491,230	1,660,745	195,777	536,130	18,120	142,256	†13,012,587	15,565,615
South Australia ...	388,751	13,123	59,416	5,251,005	5,712,295	1,267,038	7,472	396,243	28,746	189,761	‡8,522,783	10,412,043
Western Australia ...	61,700	3,646	40,494	831,700	937,540	266,921	2,225	78,007	4,035	5,937	1,299,009	1,656,134
Tasmania	149,939	46,668	18,449	3,832,137	4,047,193	*666,119	.....	98,042	.....	291,112	3,025,400	4,080,673
New Zealand	896,517	47,472	19,891	11,031,615	11,995,495	2,234,134	107,919	540,281	36,264	110,833	15,770,416	18,799,847
Total, Australasia ...	5,190,107	268,863	1,846,398	93,902,833	101,208,201	17,477,845	704,726	4,221,783	382,331	3,713,236	113,016,436	139,516,357

* Includes Bullion. † Includes Government Securities, £20,451. ‡ Includes Government Securities, £20,400.

No. XXIII.—Telegraphs, 1887.

lony.	Capital Cost of construction to 31st December, 1887.	Length of Line open, 31st December, 1887.	Length of Line under construction, 31st December, 1887.	Miles of Wire in operation, 31st December, 1887.	Number of Stations.	Number of Telegrams received and despatched.	Revenue received.
		miles.	miles.	miles.			£
New South Wales	696,242	10,721	105	21,444	434	2,876,504	164,511
Victoria	.....†	4,115	56	10,175	515	2,479,864	110,727
Queensland	745,207	8,772	245	15,677	293	1,515,357	83,062
South Australia	921,229	5,416	85	9,388	206	757,363	88,036
Western Australia	.....†	2,548	337	2,821	38	*315,197	8,439
Tasmania	155,711	1,816	Nil.	2,407	156	233,811	20,715
New Zealand...	.....†	4,646	Nil.	11,375	437	1,835,394	106,548

*1886. Similar information for 1887 not available. † Cannot be ascertained.

No. XXIV.—Post Offices, 1887.

Colony.	Number of Post Offices.	Number of Letters and Post Cards received and despatched.	Number of Books, Parcels, and Packages, received and despatched.	Number of Newspapers received and despatched.	Amount of Revenue received during the Year.	Amount of Expenditure during the Year.
					£	£
New South Wales ...	1,167	44,845,900	5,530,700	34,181,600	342,094	426,587
Victoria	1,492	41,287,972	7,670,615	18,869,055	.....	*550,883
Queensland	716	11.586,807	1,509,276	9,752,563	116,531	214,411
South Australia ...	585	15,181,309	708,542	7,376,953	106,959	177,593
Western Australia ...	79	2,217,175	158,713	1,123,050	13,413	*40,298
Tasmania	258	4,549,899	503,383	3,960,859	33,567	42,360
New Zealand ...	1,117	40,985,467	4,319,705	15,381,323	207,954	*270,635

* Includes Expenditure on Telegraph Department.

NOTE.—The figures respecting letters and newspapers are to be taken as approximate only.

No. XXV.—Crown Lands Alienation.

Colony.	Total Area.	Area unalienated at the close of 1887.	Area alienated at the close of 1887.	Area alienated in 1887.	Amount realized for Lands sold in 1887.
	Square Miles.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	£
New South Wales	310,700	153,782,777	42,099,373	1,033,886	1,221,781
Victoria...	87,884	33,391,984	22,853,776	364,393	*297,015
Queensland	668,224	419,208,327	8,455,033	726,465	379,262
South Australia	903,425	567,117,867	11,074,133	22,616	24,846
Western Australia	975,920	622,711,755	1,877,045	25,406	5,825
Tasmania	26,375	12,307,351	4,572,649	59,437	47,317
New Zealand	104,235	47,796,030	18,914,370	356,139	85,929
Total, Australasia ...	3,076,763	1,856,316,091	109,846,379	2,588,342	2,061,975

* Amount payable; in the case of the other Colonies the amount actually received is entered.

No. XXVI.—Public Instruction, 1887.

Colony.	State Schools.				
	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.	Number of Scholars (average attendance for the year.)	Total Cost to State of Public Instruction.	Number of Scholars to each School.
				£	
New South Wales	2,236	3,841	106,408	561,087	48
Victoria	1,870	4,175	123,550	659,553	66
Queensland	519	1,471	63,704	177,993*	123
South Australia	517	1,092	28,430	116,744	55
Western Australia	90	132	4,787	10,515	51
Tasmania	215	414	8,182	30,705	33
New Zealand	1,093	2,863	85,637	363,167	87

* Including buildings, rent, furniture, and repairs, £38,624.

No. XXVII.—Government Savings Banks, 1887.

Colony.	No. of Depositors.	Amount of Deposits.	Amount per Depositor.	Amount per Head of mean Population.
		£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales	118,875	3,675,893	30 18 5	3 11 11
Victoria	176,912	3,163,678	17 17 7	3 2 1
Queensland	39,780	1,426,018	35 16 1	4 0 5
South Australia	56,685	1,581,100	27 17 10	5 2 9
Western Australia	2,871	32,445	11 6 0	0 15 10
Tasmania	22,117	448,280	20 5 4	3 2 1
*New Zealand	97,496	2,407,499	24 13 1	4 0 8
Total, Australasia	514,736	12,734,913	24 14 10	3 13 0

* Including private banks.

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Government Savings Banks.

For Victorian figures read,—

	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
215,662	3,930,539	18 4 6	3 17 1

and for Totals of Australasia read,—

553,486	13,501,774	24 7 11	3 17 5

No. XXVIII.—Length of Railways open for Traffic, 1878–1887.

Colony.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
New South Wales	733	736	849	1,001	1,313	1,365	1,663	1,777	1,935	2,036
Victoria	1,052	1,125	1,199	1,247	1,355	1,562	1,663	1,680	1,753	1,880*
Queensland	428	503	633	800	867	1,038	1,207	1,434	1,555	1,765
South Australia...	454	559	667	832	945	996	1,059	1,063	1,382	1,420
Western Australia	68	72	72	92	95	95	118	124	154	221
Tasmania	167	167	167	167	167	167	215	257	303	318
New Zealand	1,070	1,171	1,258	1,287	1,465	1,480	1,570	1,613	1,727	1,758
Total, Australasia	3,972	4,333	4,845	5,426	6,207	6,703	7,495	7,948	8,809	9,398

* On 30th June, 1887.

No. XXIX.—Railways (Government Lines only.)

Colony.	Capital Expended to 31st Dec., 1887.	No. of miles in operation on 31st Dec., 1887.	No. of miles under construction on 31st Dec., 1887.	Revenue Receipts.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.
	£	miles.	miles.	£	£	£
New South Wales	26,554,357	*2,036	132	2,208,295	1,457,761	750,534
Victoria	26,171,609	1,880	383·5	2,453,078	1,427,116	1,025,962
Queensland	12,189,919	1,765	653	719,254	534,381	184,873
South Australia	9,161,783	1,420	403	688,207	402,163	286,044
Western Australia	816,147	171	31	42,686	47,712	— 5,026
Tasmania	2,318,582	318	123	140,224	126,250	13,974
New Zealand	‡ 13,352,978	† 1,753	163	994,843	687,328	307,515

* Also 45 miles of private lines. † Also 91 miles private lines. — Excess of working expenses over earnings.
‡ For year ended 31st March, 1888.

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STATISTICAL VIEW of the Progress of the Colony of New South Wales from the separation of Queensland in 1859 to the year 1887.

YEAR.	* POPULATION AT END OF YEAR.			BIRTHS.	DEATHS.	MARRIAGES.	ARRIVALS BY SEA.	DEPARTURES BY SEA	SCHOOLS.		RAILWAYS.			TELEGRAPHS.		POST OFFICE.				MANUFACTORIES AND WORKS.	HANDS EMPLOYED IN MANUFACTORIES, &c.	NUMBER OF ACRES UNDER CROP.	LIVE STOCK.				COAL RAISED.		GOLD COIN AND BULLION ISSUED BY THE MINT.	WOOL EXPORTED.		LAND SOLD.			SHIPPING.				VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS.	VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS.	PUBLIC DEBT.	PUBLIC REVENUE.	PUBLIC EXPENDITURE.	COIN IN CIRCULATION.	DEPOSITS IN BANKS.	YEAR.
	PERSONS.	MALES.	FEMALES.						NUMBER OF SCHOOLS.	NUMBER OF SCHOLARS ON ROLL.	MILES OPEN FOR TRAFFIC. †	GOVERNMENT LINES. NET EARNINGS.	GOVERNMENT LINES. CAPITAL EXPENDED ON LINES OPEN.	MILES OF WIRE.	NUMBER OF TELEGRAMS.	No. OF OFFICES.	No. OF LETTERS.	No. OF NEWSPAPERS.	No. OF PACKETS AND BOOKS.				HORSES.	HORNED CATTLE.	SHEEP.	PIGS.	QUANTITY.	VALUE.		QUANTITY.	VALUE.	CONDITIONALLY.	UNCONDITIONALLY.	AMOUNT ACTUALLY RECEIVED. §	INWARDS. Number of Vessels.	INWARDS. Tonnage.	OUTWARDS. Number of Vessels.	OUTWARDS. Tonnage.							
1860	348,546	199,426	149,120	14,233	6,562	2,945	23,031	6,847	798	34,767	70	11,841	1,422,672	.....	.....	287	4,230,741	3,968,783	83,736	567	.....	260,798	251,497	2,408,586	6,119,163	180,662	368,862	226,493	1,846,552	12,809,362	1,123,699	.....	109216	155,316	1,424	427,835	1,438	431,484	£7,519,285	£5,072,020	£3,880,230	1,308,925	1,921,724	£246,613	£5,721,690	1860
1861	357,978	201,574	156,404	14,681	5,343	3,222	13,421	13,200	819	37,874	73	13,817	1,536,032	1,616	74,204	340	4,369,463	3,384,245	105,338	601	.....	297,575	233,220	2,271,923	5,615,054	146,091	342,067	218,820	1,817,437	12,745,891	1,396,426	.....	189936	222,594	1,327	366,236	1,391	379,460	£6,891,555	£5,594,839	4,017,630	1,421,831	1,540,005	2,947,719	5,637,368	1861
1862	366,721	204,199	162,522	15,434	6,524	3,326	15,386	15,079	925	42,211	97	35,146	1,907,867	2,539	104,650	368	5,002,515	3,460,936	170,782	645	.....	302,138	273,389	2,620,383	6,145,651	125,541	476,522	305,234	2,775,692	13,482,139	1,233,818	357,281	88036	216,988	1,403	454,837	1,568	467,356	£9,334,645	7,102,562	5,802,980	1,557,639	1,608,810	2,963,116	6,260,371	1862
1863	377,712	207,560	170,152	15,679	6,653	3,314	15,205	13,796	976	46,810	124	27,073	2,466,950	2,683	124,638	397	5,662,849	4,554,789	276,814	910	.....	307,035	262,554	2,032,522	7,790,969	195,899	433,889	236,230	1,876,962	14,791,849	1,262,274	259,370	96679	192,113	1,494	479,327	1,603	511,373	8,319,576	6,936,899	5,802,980	1,534,187	2,064,299	2,783,284	6,399,407	1863
1864	390,864	213,365	177,499	16,881	6,445	3,480	20,667	17,448	1,022	48,427	143	43,938	2,631,790	2,847	130,500	419	5,963,562	4,600,077	287,540	960	.....	318,854	284,567	1,924,119	8,271,520	164,154	549,012	270,171	2,880,668	25,827,917	2,294,615	165,617	68198	112,719	1,849	607,168	1,842	647,057	10,135,708	9,037,382	6,073,180	1,661,805	1,862,245	3,025,761	6,330,196	1864
1865	409,147	223,254	185,893	17,283	6,596	3,578	26,266	18,154	1,069	53,453	143	57,106	2,746,373	2,989	138,785	435	6,328,333	4,689,858	249,904	1,017	.....	378,254	282,587	1,961,905	8,132,511	146,901	585,525	274,303	2,359,562	29,858,791	2,283,560	151,540	116307	213,241	1,912	635,888	2,120	690,294	10,635,507	9,563,818	5,749,630	1,589,468	1,760,516	3,009,523	6,571,972	1865
1866	428,813	235,115	193,697	16,950	7,361	3,462	25,528	15,093	1,155	59,594	143	62,305	2,786,094	3,346	143,523	455	6,678,371	4,513,185	249,939	1,119	.....	451,225	278,437	1,771,809	11,562,155	187,915	774,238	324,049	2,955,732	36,980,685	2,830,348	358,652	117,889	261,590	2,099	730,354	2,259	784,381	9,403,192	9,913,839	6,418,030	2,012,079	2,125,414	3,198,207	6,752,115	1866
1867	444,709	243,131	201,578	18,317	8,631	3,426	19,972	13,450	1,180	63,183	204	71,748	3,282,320	3,567	130,447	477	6,748,356	3,807,905	180,297	1,146	.....	413,164	280,201	1,728,427	13,909,574	178,168	770,012	342,055	2,492,853	21,708,902	1,711,322	232,176	138,906	264,660	1,863	646,970	2,104	726,721	7,624,812	7,077,759	6,917,630	2,012,042	2,249,521	3,552,399	6,833,081	1867
1868	463,188	254,003	209,185	18,485	7,225	3,736	26,564	18,079	1,254	66,835	247	80,158	4,060,950	4,385	132,872	487	6,555,890	3,580,332	116,987	1,446	.....	434,756	280,818	1,761,411	15,080,625	176,901	954,231	417,809	2,345,728	25,721,632	1,879,751	239,517	151829	265,250	2,073	724,193	2,218	776,449	9,240,414	7,192,904	8,564,830	2,107,157	2,646,303	4,114,549	7,425,354	1868
1869	481,448	263,899	217,549	19,243	6,691	3,799	19,756	13,717	1,304	71,523	318	88,613	4,081,329	5,053	145,370	521	7,143,634	3,593,553	158,034	1,556	.....	482,324	280,304	1,795,904	14,989,023	175,924	919,774	346,145	1,319,388	51,263,972	3,162,522	397,329	164890	319,613	2,022	741,369	2,236	833,248	8,382,753	9,033,442	9,546,030	2,202,970	2,649,329	3,208,296	7,570,499	1869
1870	498,659	272,543	226,116	19,648	6,558	3,848	18,621	14,206	1,381	74,503	339	101,139	5,566,092	5,247	173,812	562	7,083,500	3,814,700	157,700	1,692	.....	426,976	337,597	2,195,096	16,308,585	243,066	868,504	316,336	1,243,208	47,440,610	2,741,141	329,318	94374	250,843	1,858	659,820	2,066	771,942	7,757,281	7,990,038	9,681,130	2,102,697	2,638,264	3,313,186	7,044,464	1870
1871	517,758	282,846	234,912	20,143	6,407	3,953	19,820	12,974	1,450	77,889	358	158,257	5,887,258	5,579	218,530	570	7,509,500	3,992,100	158,300	1,813	.....	417,801	304,100	2,014,888	16,278,697	213,193	893,784	316,340	2,870,419	65,611,953	4,748,160	358,682	88638	262,531	1,891	706,019	2,123	794,460	10,933,508	11,259,999	10,614,330	2,238,900	2,732,102	4,417,180	7,982,801	1871
1872	535,219	292,015	243,204	20,250	7,468	3,925	24,107	16,881	1,464	106,691	398	217,071	6,388,727	6,114	336,065	622	8,654,000	4,841,200	170,500	1,919	.....	454,634	328,408	2,287,660	17,560,048	218,904	1,012,426	396,198	2,091,728	50,233,453	3,342,900	749,587	166834	430,483	2,011	774,490	2,091	813,550	9,567,843	10,476,654	10,773,230	2,502,011	2,464,291	4,768,700	10,382,513	1872
1873	553,833	301,399	252,434	21,444	7,611	4,384	24,022	16,770	1,508	110,287	403	246,201	6,739,918	6,521	365,380	654	9,602,600	4,961,700	209,600	1,959	.....	456,825	334,462	2,794,327	18,990,595	240,680	1,192,862	665,747	1,528,963	31,666,546	2,201,910	1,391,719	330688	845,410	2,161	874,804	2,212	887,674	10,959,364	12,618,755	10,842,415	3,330,913	2,333,126	4,161,869	11,649,955	1873
1874	574,943	312,843	262,100	22,178	8,652	4,343	29,756	19,279	1,547	119,133	403	278,872	6,844,546	7,449	570,326	681	11,120,100	5,704,200	270,300	1,994	.....	464,957	346,691	2,856,699	22,797,416	219,958	1,304,612	730,224	2,036,612	75,156,924	5,010,125	1,586,282	702758	1,163,572	2,217	1,016,369	2,168	974,525	11,645,420	12,393,518	10,516,371	3,514,314	3,273,827	4,562,669	13,463,973	1874
1875	594,297	323,080	271,217	22,528	10,771	4,605	30,967	20,350	1,586	124,756	473	318,474	7,245,379	8,012	719,745	752	13,717,900	6,262,600	357,000	2,424	.....	451,139	357,696	3,134,086	25,353,924	199,550	1,329,729	819,430	2,128,517	87,584,280	5,651,643	1,756,678	1,135,274	1,760,570	2,376	1,109,086	2,294	1,059,101	13,735,133	13,797,397	11,470,637	4,126,303	3,394,024	4,705,024	15,300,764	1875
1876	614,181	333,515	280,666	23,298	11,193	4,630	32,942	21,223	1,629	131,620	554	358,819	7,990,601	8,472	858,301	782	14,466,900	6,917,200	413,900	2,517	.....	513,840	366,703	3,131,013	25,269,755	173,604	1,319,918	803,300	1,651,293	100,736,330	5,565,173	1,984,212	1,878,059	2,513,404	2,313	1,074,425	2,265	1,053,300	13,800,505	13,061,412	11,759,519	5,037,661	4,499,013	4,924,049	16,563,438	1876
1877	643,707	350,323	293,378	23,851	9,869	4,994	38,028	20,174	1,695	138,267	643	396,935	8,883,177	9,761	1,001,884	810	16,509,000	8,385,000	398,600	2,602	24,932	546,556	328,150	2,746,385	21,521,662	191,677	1,444,271	858,998	1,596,657	102,150,246	5,256,038	1,699,816	2,156,750	2,967,857	2,361	1,136,206	2,301	1,101,775	14,852,778	13,457,900	11,724,419	5,751,878	4,501,210	4,829,878	18,147,754	1877
1878	671,888	365,625	306,263	25,328	10,763	5,317	39,879	22,913	1,744	148,788	733	366,001	9,784,645	11,760	1,132,287	847	18,159,900	9,469,200	536,800	2,723	25,991	613,642	336,468	2,771,583	25,479,484	220,320	1,575,497	920,936	1,328,276	111,883,017	5,723,316	1,588,248	1,216,693	2,076,004	2,469	1,267,374	2,387	1,192,130	15,104,645	13,134,405	11,688,119	4,991,919	5,078,381	4,593,946	18,535,495	1878
1879	709,459	386,926	322,533	26,933	10,200	5,391	44,501	20,695	1,819	155,290	779	347,645	10,406,495	12,426	1,175,218	884	19,407,300	11,467,100	595,500	2,661	25,714	635,641	360,038	2,914,210	30,062,910	256,026	1,583,381	950,879	1,417,588	123,710,450	6,491,198	924,136	477,194	1,386,637	2,391	1,268,377	2,396	1,272,247	14,503,826	13,131,231	14,037,419	4,481,665	5,745,599	5,519,722	19,784,102	1879
1880	741,893	405,277	336,616	28,162	11,231	5,572	45,870	26,559	1,910	160,441	894	513,298	11,778,819	13,188	1,319,537	927	21,732,500	13,791,800	711,600	2,787	28,334	706,493	395,984	2,580,040	35,338,121	308,205	1,466,180	615,337	1,499,649	154,871,852	8,040,625	1,147,001	626,112	1,382,026	2,108	1,242,458	2,043	1,190,321	14,176,063	15,682,802	14,903,919	4,911,990	5,502,760	6,242,938	19,958,880	1880
1881	778,690	426,944	351,746	28,993	11,536	6,284	47,723	24,825	2,066	175,414	1,041	705,892	13,301,597	14,278	1,607,206	973	26,355,600	16,527,900	851,300	2,980	31,311	645,063	398,577	2,597,348	36,591,046	213,916	1,769,597	603,248	1,697,649	139,601,506	7,149,787	2,329,202	1,328,906	2,483,338	2,254	1,456,239	2,103	1,330,261	17,587,012	16,307,805	16,024,019	6,714,327	5,788,942	5,990,287	22,706,720	1881
1882	810,833	443,314	367,519	29,702	12,816	6,948	47,289	27,972	2,161	188,507	1,313	764,228	15,843,616	15,901	1,965,931	1,005	29,326,500	18,052,300	1,262,800	3,203	34,187	733,583	328,023	1,859,985	36,114,814	154,815	2,100,282	948,965	1,473,008	146,221,182	7,433,031	2,362,220	1,029,998	2,455,041	2,437	1,696,620	2,340	1,610,045	21,467,899	17,077,355	18,721,219	7,418,536	6,355,610	5,801,214	25,550,644	1882
1883	857,744	470,009	387,735	31,281	12,249	7,405	67,206	34,396	2,315	189,983	1,365	753,676	16,905,014	17,272	2,107,288	1,046	35,426,400	19,577,300	1,648,900	3,265	35,242	789,082	326,964	1,640,753	37,915,510	189,050	2,521,457	1,201,942	1,342,610	188,161,710	9,598,761	1,621,948	168,455	1,269,480	2,587	1,935,189	2,774	2,071,048	21,522,841	20,262,273	24,632,459	6,470,341	7,791,088	5,851,117	26,744,972	1883
1884	903,948	495,571	408,377	33,946	14,220	7,482	72,486	40,254	2,535	202,519	1,663	784,978	20,050,138	18,681	2,334,052	1,085	42,237,000	25,063,500	3,022,100	3,498	39,602	852,017	337,172	1,425,130	31,050,321	211,556	2,749,109	1,303,077	1,665,592	173,986,303	8,953,100	1,459,937	294,180	1,363,483	2,935	2,284,517	3,010	2,376,441	23,160,916	18,577,290	30,101,959	7,117,592	8,414,360	6,852,617	29,428,700	1884
1885	957,514	527,533	430,381	35,043	15,282	7,618	78,138	38,455	2,669	210,743	1,777	776,215	21,831,276	19,864	2,625,992	1,115	39,351,200	25,567,400	3,446,800	3,612	42,829	868,033	344,637	1,317,315	37,320,906	208,697	2,878,863	1,340,213	1,532,978	168,151,659	7,246,642	1,114,872	295,025	1,314,552	2,601	2,088,307	2,583	2,044,770	23,737,461	16,750,107	35,564,259	7,587,368	8,360,488	7,319,922	30,197,896	1885
1886	1,001,966	551,343	450,623	36,284	14,587	7,811	70,388	41,896	2,833	220,724	1,935	667,078	24,079,555	20,797	2,661,126	1,157	42,849,900	29,532,400	4,848,800	3,694	45,783	977,664	361,663	1,367,844	39,169,304	209,576	2,830,175	1,303,164	1,708,973	173,985,640	7,028,596	954,560	288,038	1,206,338	2,684	2,114,618	2,755	2,143,986	20,973,548	15,556,218	41,084,249	7,594,301	9,078,869	7,801,646	31,933,056	1886
1887	1,042,919	574,012	468,907	37,236	13,448	7,590	67,605	44,089	2,925	224,510	2,081	750,534	26,554,357	21,444	2,876,504	1,167	44,845,900	34,181,600	5,530,700	3,508	44,360	1,048,305	390,609	1,575,487	46,965,152	264,111	2,922,497	1,346,440	2,093,235	224,295,209	9,200,071	723,150	232,906	1,221,776	2,815	2,142,457	2,906	2,180,301	18,806,236	18,496,917	40,995,350	8,582,811	9,068,460	8,854,976	32,929,756	1887

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* The separation of Queensland took place on the 1st December, 1859. On the 1st January, 1860, the population numbered 336,572, viz., 196,126 males, 140,446 females. † Includes 45 miles of Private Lines, but not Tramways. ‡ Overland Trade not included in these years. § Includes payments of interest and instalments.

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